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# 3D Meeting Guide

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## BIBLE (30 MIN)

Read and discuss a chapter (or less) of the bible together. Use the below two main questions to guide your discussion. Share what you learned in this passage as you read it on your own through the week, or as you read it together now (use the GROW tool or any of our other bible study guides found online for your personal study through the week). Jump in and out of prayer as you seek God together.

1. What does it say? Reflect and observe what God says in this passage. Consider words, themes, commands, promises, etc. Simply share all of the things that jump out to you about this passage.
2. What does it mean? Consider the context, commentaries, flow of thought, argument, and other passages of scripture to summarize the meaning. Summarize the main idea/principle of the passage.
3. How does the gospel inform or connect with this truth, highlighting God's provision to us in Christ, and compelling us to obey Him because of His grace?

## LIFE (30 MIN)

Now focus on how the passage you read impacts your life. What difference does what you have just read/shared make in your life? So what?

Consider how God desires you to respond to who He is and what He has said. Be specific, tangible, real, honest, transparent. What is God calling you to do, not do, believe, confess, or share? Do not forget the gospel! Jesus has given you His righteousness. Jesus has forgiven you for your sin. His grace and acceptance compels us to obey.

Here are some questions to help facilitate deeper discussion:

1. What must you do (not do), or believe in light of what we have just read?
2. Is there something you need to celebrate or confess from the past week?
3. Who could you share this truth with (both a believer and non-believer)?
4. See supplementary questions on the bottom of this sheet.

## PRAYER (15 MIN)

Spend time talking to God and praying for each other. Pray through any areas God has spoken to you through the given passage. Consider the following:

1. Praise God for who He is.
2. Confess sins, disobedience, or disbelief.
3. Thank God for His grace and provision.
4. Pray for people who don't yet know Him, by name.

## SUPPLEMENTARY LIFE QUESTIONS

Below are some additional questions that we have found helpful for sharing our life together. Choose any that apply to the passage, or may spur conversation:

1. What am I to believe?
  - a. What do you doubt?
  - b. What is keeping me from trusting in God?
  - c. How has the Holy Spirit been growing your faith this week?
  - d. What unhealthy thoughts have been lingering in your mind?
  - e. Is there a promise you need to claim?
2. What am I to do?
  - a. How have you been disobedient to God this week? Something you have said, done, thought, looked at?
  - b. Have you avoided a step of obedience God wants you to take?
  - c. Are your relationships healthy and honoring to God? How has your love for others been incomplete? Is there someone with whom you need to reconcile, or share loving truth with?
  - d. Are you being sacrificial and generous with your love?
3. Whom can I tell?
  - a. Who is someone that does not yet know Jesus, that you sense God is moving you towards?
  - b. What is the next step towards them that you need to take?
  - c. What question could you ask a coworker, neighbor, friend, or family member that might spur deeper conversation?
4. Whom can I invite?
  - a. Is there a neighbor, coworker, friend, or someone at church you could invite to group next week?