



1. Opening

Purpose for Digs and Prayer (1 min)

Digs gather to study, pray, and apply the Word of God to our lives. Our hope is that we would increase in our love for God, love for one another, and tell others about Him (Matt 22:37-40; Matt 28:19-20).

Weekly Christian Formation (5 min)

Question 18* Will God allow our disobedience and idolatry to go unpunished?

Answer: No, every sin is against the sovereignty, holiness, and goodness of God, and against his righteous law, and God is righteously angry with our sins and will punish them in his just judgment both in this life, and in the life to come.

Scripture Reference: Ephesians 5:5-6

What does this mean? How does it impact our lives?

Recap (5 min)

Recap the last time your Dig Group gathered. How did you apply God's Word over the last week(s)?

2. Bible Study October 19 (30-45 minutes)

***Read the passage aloud together.**

***Pray for God's wisdom to rightly understand the passage.**

Scripture Reference: Revelation 4:1-11

1. Discuss how God the Father is described in this passage.

2. Discuss what is around, before, and coming from the throne.

3. How are the four creatures and twenty-four elders described? What do these tell us about God?

4. This passage is placed after God has called the seven churches, going through trials and temptations, to conquer, to be faithful to the end. How does this passage aid in that exhortation from Jesus?

5. Thinking about what lies ahead in the Book of Revelation, how does this passage equip the saints to endure the future trials?

6. Why do the twenty-four elders fall down and cast their crowns before the Father?

7. God's worthiness is overwhelmingly seen in this passage. He is worshiped because He is worthy, not because the twenty-four elders and four living creatures want something from God. We are to worship God because He is worthy of glory. How can you allow this passage to shape your worship this week? Rest assured, as we allow this to shape our worship, it will equip us for what lies ahead. It will produce joy. We will experience His grace.

3. Confession and Prayer (30-45 minutes)

Prayer: Reserve plenty of time to pray for one another.

Prayer Challenge: Pray that God would provide opportunities for you to share Christ with people. Pray that you will make the most of every opportunity (Col 4:2-6)

****Weekly Christian Formation Questions are taken from the New City Catechism.**