



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 17* What is Idolatry?

Answer: Idolatry is trusting in created things rather than the Creator for our hope and happiness, significance and security.

Scripture Reference: Romans 1:21; 25

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 12 (30-45 minutes)

*Read the passage aloud together.

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

Scripture Reference: Revelation 3:14-22

1. What is the significance of v.14? Why does Jesus emphasize these attributes as He addresses the church in Laodicea?

2. What contextual understanding is helpful to know about the city of Laodicea? (talk about its sources of water)

3. How is the church in Laodicea described? How does God respond?

4. In verse 17 we see why the church has become distasteful to God. In what ways are we like this today?

5. What three things does God counsel the church to buy in verse 18?

6. How do these three things impact the areas of self-reliance of the church in Laodicea?

7. Are there areas in your life where you have become self-reliant, areas where you are believing a lie about your happiness or acceptance?

8. Read v.19-20. How can you respond to the love of God as He waits at the door for your repentance?

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.