



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 2* What is God?

Answer: God is the creator and sustainer of everyone and everything. He is eternal, infinite, and unchangeable in his power and perfection, goodness and glory, wisdom, justice, and truth. Nothing happens except through him and by his will.

Scripture Reference: Psalm 86:8-10, 15

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 August 2nd (30-45 minutes)

***Read the passage aloud together.**

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

Scripture Reference: Esther 8-10

1. In Esther 8-10, how do we see God reversing the circumstances for His people?

2. Why does God show us this reversal in Esther?

3. What parts of your life seem dark, broken, or hopeless and in need to Christ's complete reversal?

4. Even after Haman is killed, what obstacles remain in the way of the Jews' salvation?

5. How does God display His providence to save even through these obstacles?

6. In Esther 9:19, 27-28 we see the Jews "obligate themselves" to remembering and celebrating God's salvation. How can we be a people that better remember the works of God?

7. In what parts of your life do you need to trust in God's providential plans to redeem?

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 would make the most of every opportunity (Col 4:2-6).

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

