# WHEN YOU... SERMON-BASED QUESTIONS

APRIL 2 + 3, 2022

# **MY STORY**

- 1. What was the first car you drove?
- 2. In your opinion, what is your best quality? What is a quality that you would like to refine? (If you're in a couple's group, have spouses answer for each other.)
- 3. What is one place you have never been, but would love to visit and why?
- 4. What are you most looking forward to in this session of Life Groups?
- 5. How has your prayer life changed and matured over time?

#### **IN REVIEW**

Last week, you were encouraged to share a burden you have with someone else. Who did you share it with and how did it go? How was praying with and for someone in your group this past week?

## DIGGING DEEPER

- 6. Read Ephesians 3:14-21 and answer the following questions.
  - a. How would you describe Paul's prayer in these verses? What stands out to you most and why?
  - b. What is Paul asking God to do in this prayer? How does Paul's prayer differ from or reflect your prayers? Explain.

- c. Has there been a time why you have felt overwhelmed by the love of God? Explain.
- d. What does the promise in verse 20 mean? How have you seen this promise come to life?
- 7. In the beginning of 1 Chronicles, there are pages of genealogies, from Adam through Abraham. In the middle of this list is a powerful prayer from Jabez. Read 1 Chronicles 4:9-10 and answer the following questions.
  - a. What do you learn about God's intentions for human life through Jabez's prayer? Why do you think this prayer is displayed in a list of genealogies?
  - b. What lessons about prayer does Jabez's life exemplify?

**CALL TO ACTION | A SHIFT IN PRAYER:** From this week's discussion, is there something specific from the prayers of Jabez and Paul that you could emulate in your own prayer life or learn from? If so, what and how could you practice it?

8. If God answered each prayer you prayed this week, would your life be changed, would other's lives be changed, or would the world be changed?

## TAKING IT HOME

In one or two sentences, how are you going to practically and actually put the "Call To Action" sections from above into practice this week?