# **Group Discussion Guide**

Week of November 5, 2023

#### Relationship Goals - Singular Focus

### **GETTING TO KNOW YOU**

- When you were a child, what did you want to be when you grew up?
- Did you become what you wanted to be? Why or why not?
- If you did not become what you wanted to be, do you ever feel like your life is missing something? Why or why not?

#### MAIN POINT

Whether we are single or married we can find our completeness in the Lord.

### **REVIEW**

Looking over your notes from this past teaching... was there anything you heard for the first time, caught your attention, challenged you, or confused you?

### DIGGING INTO THE WORD

- What is your perception of how the church considers people who are single?
- Do you, or have you ever, struggled with being single? What is/was that like for you?
- Do you, or did you, ever feel incomplete or lacking as a single person?

#### READ - 2 Peter 1:3

- Why do you think it is important for us to understand that CURRENTLY, whether single or married, that we have everything we need in Christ?
- What are some dangers that come with feeling like we need something else in this world to be complete?

 Does the fact that Jesus was never married teach us anything about being married or single?

#### READ - 1 Corinthians 7:7-9

• How do you understand Paul's words that it is BETTER to be single?

#### READ – 1 Corinthians 7:32-35

- What do these verses teach you about marriage?
- Is Paul saying it is a sin to be married? Why or why not?
- What can we do to help SINGLE people understand that they are not "LESS THAN"?

## PRAISE REPORTS & PRAYER REQUESTS

Ask for any prayer requests that anyone may have.

\*\*Remember to create a prayer request journal where you will write down the prayer requests and the corresponding praise reports\*\*