

Upcoming events to tell your group about (more info on each on pg 2):

- **Life Group Leader Class** – Every Sunday in August, during the 9:30 am service, in the conference room. **If there is anyone in your LG that has any interest at all in leading, or that you think would be an excellent LG leader, please heavily encourage them to sign up!**

Optional Ice Breaker: What animal are you most afraid of encountering?

Read Proverbs 7

What part of the sermon or passage stood out to you the most, and why?

Daniel compared sin and temptation to playing with a bear—something we think we can control until it begins controlling us. **What are some ways we can convince ourselves that we are “playing with” sin when, in reality, sin is beginning to play with us?**

Daniel said, “When you and I sin... it’s because we want to.” **Do you agree or disagree with this statement? Why or why not?** (*Encourage your group members to support the answer with Scripture*)

The sermon identified six tactics of sin: it attacks, it gives false justification, it offers flattery, it portrays delight, it invites, and it promises safety. **Which of these tactics do you think is most effective in your own life, and why?**

What does it practically mean for you to “treasure God's commands” rather than merely know them?

Daniel's three applications were to guard your heart, guard your body, and guard your future. **Which of these three areas do you think you most need to be intentional about right now? What would that practically look like?**

When you sin, is your instinct to run toward God or away from Him? Why? How does the good news of the gospel free you to run to God?

Notable Upcoming Events at Fellowship

Men's/Women's Time (if applicable)

Have a time of sharing. (i.e. Share highs/lows in this season, needs in your home/community, etc.)

PRAY for one another.

Life Group Leader Class (August 2, 9, 16, 23, 30) – As God continues to bring new people into our church family, we need more leaders who are willing to open their lives and help others find authentic biblical community. You don't have to have all the answers—you simply need a willing heart and a desire to help people follow Jesus. Join us every Sunday in August and discover how God can use your obedience to help every person find a Life Group here at Fellowship. Join us in the conference room during the second service every Sunday in August and walk away ready to take your step of faith to lead.

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