

Group Questions – *Believe*: Week 2

01/18/26 – Pastor Kirby

Getting to Know Me Questions:

- What is something you've always wanted to try?
- If you could attend one show (concert, a certain artist, a play etc) from any time period, what would it be and why?

Into the Bible Questions:

- What's something from this week's teaching that you learned, that stood out, interesting etc?
- The 4 "B's" of discipleship at Living Hope: Belong, Believe, Become, Behave. This week is "Believe"
- Have you ever experienced the feeling of being pushed out?
- **READ:** Luke 18:35-43
- What are the words or phrases that stuck out to you?
- **READ:** Mark 10:46-52
- Again, what are words or phrases stuck out?
- Did you find anything to be helpful or interesting when you compared the two versions of the same story?
- Talk about the idea of "getting your hopes up". Has there been a time you did just to have it fall? Has there been a time that you did and it was better than you hoped for?
- If Jesus asked you, right now, "What do you want me to do for you?" what would it be? How would you honestly answer?
- Pastor Kirby said what you believe shapes who you are. Respond to this idea. How does that play out in your life? Did you know it's the same for other people? How can we use this understanding to offer and create empathy and understanding?

Application Questions:

- Have you received from Jesus His grace and salvation? Share your story!
- If not: what is holding you back?
- If so: how do you hold onto simple faith in the midst of life?
- How can we praise God with each other?