

# STUDY GUIDE

*questions for later*

## DISCUSSION

1. What's one idea from the message that really stood out to you? Why did this idea grab your attention?

2. We discussed **four essential values** in the message today:

- The Bible matters
- Sundays matter.
- Prayer matters.
- Jesus matters.

How can you apply these in your everyday?

3. Reality Check: Submitting to God's Word, Sunday gatherings, Prayer, and Jesus at the Center are essential to the everyday stuff of life.

- Are these values considered essential in our culture?
- Are they essential in your life?
- Why or why not?

## ACTION STEPS

**Heart** - Do you have someone to help you focus on the essentials, with whom you can discover and deepen your relationship with Jesus? Have you considered creating a DNA group— three people of your same gender, committed to meeting weekly to discover, nurture, and act on your relationship with Jesus, together?

Contact [brad@northridgenow.org](mailto:brad@northridgenow.org) for more information on forming a DNA Group.

**Hard to Reach** - Identify someone this week who is far from Jesus. Find ways to hear their story and begin building a relationship with them.

**Home** - Spend time with your family discussing ways to grow in devotion to Jesus so that His value in our life is easily and naturally seen by others. Contact [emily@northridgenow.org](mailto:emily@northridgenow.org) for more resources.

**Hurting** - Identify someone who is hungry, sick, anxious, lonely, or has some other need. Find ways to meet that need.