

Looking for a Group to connect and dive deeper in your relationship with God and others? Check out Group Life on our app or contact Connections Pastor, Dustin Bramer, at dbramer@myhope.church.



Community Group Questions: Matthew 1:18-25

- How do you react to this teaching that God moved in our direction, to be with us, instead of requiring us to move in his direction to be with him?
- How does it change the way you look at others when you realize that God didn't require us to clean up the mess or fix everything before he moved in our direction?
- If God is a "with-us" God, then it must be important for us to gather "with each other." How is your spiritual health impacted by getting together with other believers? How has your spiritual health been impacted by the challenges of gathering in the last 18 months?
- Describe a time when it felt like God was close to you and involved in your circumstances. Why do you think it felt like that?
- Describe a time when it felt like God was far away from you and not involved in your circumstances. Why do you think it felt like that?
- When you take Communion do you most often think about your own personal relationship with God, or do you think more about your relationship with brothers and sisters who gather around His table with you? Is there a way you can be intentionally worshipful about both?