

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: Exodus 32:1-22

- What do you think is the difference between an idol and art? What about an idol and a tool?
- If a golden calf was the natural idol for a Hebrew in the Bronze Age, what do you think is a natural idol for us in the Information Age?
- In the 1500's, John Calvin said the human heart is an "idol factory." What criteria helps you to identify your idols?
- Do you agree that an idol is something we look to for provision, protection and meaning? If not, why not? If so, can you give some examples?
- It is a challenge for believers to know when they have God's "attention." What has helped you?
- What are some of the ways you give your attention to God?
- When you give your attention to God, how does it impact your awareness of God's attention to you?
- How does God use other people to help you feel his presence in your life? (Since humans are made in God's image do they help you feel closer to God than objects or idols? Why or why not?)
- We all have very personal tech boundaries based on very personal values. What values or voices have guided the decisions about technology use in your home?
 - When do/did you allow kids to have TVs? Game systems? Tablets? Smartphones?
 - How do you manage "screen time" in your home for adults?