



**Welcome:** Share a recent embarrassing moment that you can laugh about.

**Worship:** Read Psalm 131, and then invite Holy Spirit to lead.

**Word:** Read Luke 6:27-36, Romans 5:10-11

- 1) Think about your typical day. In what ways do you experience opposition from others?
- 2) What is your first reaction when someone hurts or opposes you? Why do you think that is?
- 3) Jesus 'use of the word "love" in v. 27 is important. What type of "love" is He referring to, and how should this affect the way we see and treat those who oppose us?
- 4) What are some specific ways that we can love our "enemies" like Jesus commands us?
- 5) How does Jesus 'command in v. 27-31 counter culture? How is it counter-intuitive?
- 6) Take a few minutes of silence and ask Holy Spirit to bring to mind those who are your "enemies". Privately write the name(s) down and at least one action step that you are going to do this week to love them.

**Witness:** Challenge each member to pray and invite one specific person to join them next week at church or dGroup. Who will it be?