

CONNECT QUESTIONS

- 1) Thinking about this week, how was God at work in your life? Is there some way we can pray for you?
- 2) Last week, we talked about making room for people to experience the grace of Jesus. How did you see or practice that this week?
- 3) Read the passage and reflect on Sunday's sermon. What stands out to you? What stands out to you most in this passage?
- 4) The sermon emphasized that Genesis 2 is about more than marriage—it is about communion, belonging, and life together. Where do you most experience that kind of healthy connection in your life right now? Where might it be lacking?
- 5) We talked about having a responsibility to care for the people God has placed around us—not to control or fix them, but to love them well. What does that kind of responsibility look like in everyday life?
- 6) Jesus prayed in John 17:21 that His followers would be one, and Ephesians 2:15 says Christ is creating “one new humanity.” How should the gospel change the way we relate to people who are different from us?
- 7) Sunday's challenge was simple: “Move toward someone.” Who might God be asking you to move toward this week, and what is one practical way you can do that?
- 8) Close in prayer: asking God to unify us in Christ.

Memory Passage

“At last!” the man exclaimed. “This one is bone from my bone, and flesh from my flesh!
— *Genesis 23a (NLT)*”

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▪ September 6, 2026 ▪

10:00 AM

Song of Praise

“House of the Lord”

Call to Worship

Keith Lucado

Songs of Praise

“King of Kings”

“Holy Forever”

Prayer

Phil Marozick

Announcements

Pastor Travis

Sermon

Pastor Felisha

▪ *What We Were Made For* ▪

Communion

Song of Praise

“What A Beautiful Name”

Benediction

Pastor Felisha

Genesis 2:18-25 (NLT)

¹⁸ Then the Lord God said, “It is not good for the man to be alone. I will make a helper who is just right for him.” ¹⁹ So the Lord God formed from the ground all the wild animals and all the birds of the sky. He brought them to the man to see what he would call them, and the man chose a name for each one. ²⁰ He gave names to all the livestock, all the birds of the sky, and all the wild animals. But still there was no helper just right for him.

²¹ So the Lord God caused the man to fall into a deep sleep. While the man slept, the Lord God took out one of the man's ribs and closed up the opening. ²² Then the Lord God made a woman from the rib, and he brought her to the man.

²³ “At last!” the man exclaimed.
 “This one is bone from my bone,
 and flesh from my flesh!
 She will be called ‘woman,’
 because she was taken from ‘man.’”

²⁴This explains why a man leaves his father and mother and is joined to his wife, and the two are united into one.

²⁵ Now the man and his wife were both naked, but they felt no shame.

Notes:

What We Were Made For

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