

# **BIG IDEA**

Pastor Christina gave us an invitation to stop observing the Kingdom of God and to ENTER it - to join King Jesus by dwelling in his Kingdom and building His Kingdom here on earth. We can do many good things from duty, with discipline and diligence, but have no passionate love for God in the process. If we forget WHO we're in the game for, we'll forget WHY we are doing it. Ministry should always come from a place of overflow, not overwork. Jesus invites us to, "Come back to Me." Walk with HIm, learn from HIm, work the way He works and recover your life.

# SCRIPTURES USED IN THE MESSAGE

- Revelation 2:1-5 (TPT)
- Matthew 11:28-30 (MSG)
- Psalm 23:1-4
- Matthew 4:19 (TPT)
- Psalm 16:8

# TALK IT OVER

Choose questions that keep the discussion moving. No need to discuss every question.

- When were you in a game without passion for it? In what ways does that help you relate to the message?
- Which of the scriptures mentioned in the message resonated the most with you? Why?
- What reasons do you have for serving without passion?

# APPLICATION IDEAS

- What change do you want to make in how you're serving and what first step will you make in that direction this week?
- Are you serving with joy in every role you have? What roles you've taken on could you release to someone else in order to recover your life?

# PRAYER FOCUS

At Crossroads, we pray believing God hears and answers us. Make time in every group meeting to pray for one another and the larger matters of concern to your group.

- When the group members have shared their next steps, pray for one another for the courage and boldness to make needed changes.
- Remember to be humbly bold in your requests. Hebrews 4:16 reminds us we can approach God in this way with our needs.

### LEADER TIPS

- One of our most important roles as leaders is to pray daily for our group members. Use the LEAD app to pull up your group and pray for each member by name.
- Your Hub Leader is praying for you daily, so be sure to share your personal requests with them and update them on group needs using the weekly attendance and prayer request option in the app.