

Morning Star Las Cruces 2025 Discussion Questions

| November 16, 2025 Series: The Big Idea Title: New Life Text: Revelation 21:1–5 |
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| 1. Can you think of a time you witnessed something in the process of being renewed? Maybe a garden coming back to life after winter, a friendship restored or a community rebuilding? What did that renewal feel like? |
| 2. When you hear the phrase "new life," what images or experiences come to mind? Beginnings? Healing? A second chance? Transformation? |
| 3. What stood out to you in the message titled, <i>The Big Idea: New Life</i> ? Did a story, word or image help you imagine God's renewal in a fresh way? |
| 4. Read Revelation 21:1-4. What words or phrases capture your attention? How does this vision of a new heaven and new earth speak to your hope or imagination? |

| 5. Verse 3 declares, "God's dwelling place is now among the people." What might it mean for God to make a home among us, not somewhere far away but right here in our world? |
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| 6. In Verse 5, God says, "See, I am making all things new." How might we understand this statement in light of the pain and suffering that we experience and witness on earth? What's the promise that God is making with these words? |
| 7. Read Isaiah 65:17-19. How does this earlier prophetic vision echo or expand what is recorded in Revelation? What does it say about God's heart for creation? |
| 8. Read 2 Corinthians 5:17. Paul writes that "if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation." How does this concept of personal renewal connect to the cosmic renewal of Revelation 21? |
| 9. Where do you sense God is inviting you to participate in making all things new in your relationships, community and environment? What's a first step you could take this week? |
| 10. How might your group pray for you as you seek to live as part of God's ongoing work of new life? |