# **GROWTH GROUP DISCUSSION**

# CONNECT

What did you learn this last year about what is important to you, in both what you lost and found?

# **LEARN & APPLY**

Some things often lost that are important to find are: Hope, Focus, Identity, and Purpose.

## Hope: Read Ephesians 1:15-21

• What does this passage say to you today about hope? Where does the Lord invite us to find our hope?

#### Focus: Read Hebrews 12:1-3

• When life feels unclear, where are we to focus? What does this look like in your life? How do you do this?

### Identity: Read 1 John 3:1-3

 When we lose sight of who we are, what does this passage remind us?

## Purpose: Read Matthew 5:14-16

- When we can't see our purpose, how does knowing that Jesus, himself, is the light of the world shed 'light' on this passage about our lives?
- Who are you remembering today who helped you find these things in Jesus? How might your life also shine that light for others?

# **PRAY**

Lord God, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit - fill us with your light today that our lives might shine your love into a dark world. Amen.

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