



– *The Promise* –

Ice-Breakers:

- On a scale of 1 to 10 (10 being “*totally connected*” and 0 being “*not at all connected*”), how “connected” do you currently feel to God in your daily life?

Discussion:

1. What happens to your opinion of God when life is really good? When life is hard or things don't go your way, what then happens to your perception of God?
2. Read Acts 17:25-28. What does this passage say about God's desire to have a relationship with us? How have you seen God use circumstances in your life to draw you to seek Him more?
3. Read Luke 10:38-42
 - Jesus told Martha only one thing is needed. What is that one thing?
 - Who do you identify more with in this passage, Mary or Martha?
 - Why is it sometimes easier to be busy like Martha than to be still like Mary?
4. Read John 15:1-5.
 - What does this passage say about the kind of relationship God wants to have with us?
 - What does Jesus mean when he says, “apart from me you can do nothing.”?
 - What is the one and only thing we are called to do in this passage?
 - What does it look like to remain (or abide) in Christ?
5. How might the presence of a radical, ongoing conversation with God impact your daily life?
6. If you asked Jesus, “*if there's one thing you'd want me to change or do differently this week,*” how do you think He'd answer you?

Application:

- Would you commit for the next 60 days to stay in a continuous, honest conversation with God, willing to do His will, and see if you don't encounter the Living God in a new way?
- Every 60 minutes for the next 60 days, pause and remember that God is present with you in that moment no matter what you're doing, and invite Him to guide you step by step throughout your next 60 minutes. (To help remind you to pause every 60 minutes, set your watch/phone to beep every waking hour)

Book Resources: Soul Revolution by John Burke and/or The Practice of the Presence of God by Brother Lawrence