

Ready or Not: Week 3

Discussion Guide

Series Overview

In an ever-changing world, there will always be things out of our control. You can fight it, try to resist it, but life is all about change. One thing is certain though, when change comes, it will bring both opportunities and dangers. Let's discover how to navigate the changes life brings our way through a Biblical lens.

Week 3 Big Idea

When unexpected change, good or bad, comes your way... trust the sovereign God as he draws you unto him. Some of your greatest transformation will come as a result of the changes that drew you to Jesus.

Connect

Begin with some conversation, checking in on how people are doing. Ask a couple fun starter questions everyone can relate to, such as:

- What has been your favorite memories of Summer?
- What are you looking forward to in this next season?
- Should the toilet paper go over or under on the handle?

Discuss

- What stood out to you most about the message from the weekend?
- As you look back over the seasons of your life, where have you seen God's faithfulness?
- Can you share a season of unexpected change that lead to a greater connection with God?
- Read <u>James 4:7-8</u> & <u>Hebrews 4:14-16</u>
- What are you walking through now, that God might be trying to get your attention and inviting you to lean into your relationship with Him?
- In what ways can you draw near to God this week?

Pray

Take a moment to ask, "How can we be praying for you?" This week, make it your prayer focus to relinquish control of the circumstances you are holding onto. Invite God to encourage your heart

through prayer, the Bible, near to you!	and community with others.	Draw near to God th	is week and he will draw