

BY **ANY** MEANS.



WEEK 3 GROUP GUIDE

SERIES OVERVIEW

We often focus on what makes us better, but purpose is found in something much greater than ourselves. This gives our life and our church purpose! In fact, a church that is for everyone, makes room for anyone!

BIG IDEA

Luke 18 reminds us that we're all sinners that Jesus is pursuing. Thank God for the fact that ***Nobody Is Perfect*** and Jesus still loves us just the same!

ICEBREAKER/CHECK-IN QUESTION

- If you could perfect any skill in the world, what would it be and why?

DISCUSS

- What are some areas in your life where you tend to compare yourself to others and feel inadequate? How can you shift your perspective towards self-acceptance and growth?
- Is there an area of your life where you view yourself as better than others?
- In what ways have you experienced the freedom that comes from being vulnerable and authentic about your struggles? Share a time when admitting your weaknesses or mistakes led to personal growth or positive change.
- How can we create a community where everyone feels welcome and accepted, regardless of their imperfections?

READ

- **[LUKE 18:11-12](#)**
- **[LUKE 18:13-14](#)**

DISCUSS

- How does the attitude of the Pharisee in Luke 18:11-12 reveal the dangers of self-righteousness and comparison?
- In what ways does the story of the tax collector in Luke 18:13-14 challenge our perceptions of grace, redemption, and true transformation?

PRAY

God, thank you for your grace and love. Help us embrace authenticity and extend compassion to others. Amen.