#### **NOTES & QUOTES**

#### **DID YOU MISS SUNDAY'S SERVICE?**

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# **CONNECT** (BUILD RELATIONSHIPS)

- 1. What do you feel is the most complex issue facing our culture today and why?
- 2. Have you ever been asked about your opinion or belief on a controversial topic? How did you feel?
- 3. What factors do you usually think about when forming an opinion on a complex issue?

## THRIVE (EXPLORE BIBLICAL TRUTH)

- 4. Read Daniel 1:1-21 and answer the following questions. What were the cultural complexities Daniel faced in these verses?
- 5. How did Daniel approach them and what do you think of his approach?
- 6. Read 1 Peter 2:11-12. What do these verses tell us about intersecting faith and culture?
- 7. What might be a modern or relevant application of these verses in 1 Peter?

8. Read Matthew 5:14. How do Jesus's words here reflect how we approach difficult cultural conversations?

## **COMMIT** (BE ON MISSION)

- 9. What are some potential ways you could influence a complex cultural issue in a Christ-like fashion?
- 10. How does open and honest dialogue benefit tough conversations on complex issues?
- 11. What are some ways you could learn more about something our culture is facing that you are passionate about?

#### **PAUSE, PONDER & PRAY**

"You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled underfoot.

You are the light of the world. A town built on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house." MATTHEW 5:13-15