

CONVERSATION STARTERS

SOUTHRIDGE COMMUNITY CHURCH

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EAT TOGETHER | *Showing up regularly to share life and build relationships*

1. Can you remember a time when you got to experience a dream or vision of your future actually come true? What was it and how did it make you feel?

PRAY TOGETHER | *Joining in on conversations of life and faith*

1. We encourage you to watch as a group, the message [recap](#) to review the big ideas of the message. This will refresh our memories and result in richer conversations.
2. Read Revelation 21:1-5:
 - a. What are some "real life" situations that these verses could bring hope to - for you and for those in your circle?
 - b. What makes this promise hard to actually believe?
3. Where are you tempted to trust in (and benefit from) our world defined by the values of "empire"? In what ways does clarity and confidence in Jesus' finish line challenge you to value, prioritize, and live your life differently?
4. In our current time, which Empire values have seeped into Christianity?
 - a. What has been the impact?
 - b. How might we reverse that trend?
5. Share with your group one big idea that you learned or impacted you from this message, which you can hold onto this week? How might you put that into practise?

LOVE TOGETHER | *Being real to care and make a difference*

For personal contemplation this week:

1. In Sunday's message, we heard, "The future you most long for is the future you give your life for". How do you see that truth working itself out in your life?
2. What empire "values" do you recognize in your life? Are you open to asking God to release you from those? How can we support you in this work?