CONNECT QUESTIONS

- 1) How have you seen God work in your life this week?
- 2) How have you struggled to obey God's Word and live out your faith in Christ this week?
- 3) Read Romans 12:1-8. How are you tempted to "conform to the pattern of this world"? How should Christians look different from the world? How can we renew our minds on God?
- 4) What does it mean for us to belong to each other (v 5)? How is that related to not thinking too highly of ourselves (v 3)? How could we live this out more faithfully?
- 5) What gifts/passions has God given you? How can you use them in service of the Church?
- 6) Take a moment to praise God, to pray for the needs of your group and our church, and to ask for God's guidance in the coming week.

Memory Passage

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

— *Romans 12:2 (NIV)*

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10:00 AM

Call to Worship Ricky Ruiz

Songs of Praise "We Believe"

"The Way"

"We Surrender"

Prayer Bill Bonenfant

Announcements / Greet One Another

Sermon Pastor Travis

Transformed Belonging

Song of Praise "All I Am"

"Benediction Song"

Benediction

Romans 12:1-8 (NIV)

¹Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. ² Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will. ³ For by the grace given me I say to every one of you: Do not think of yourself more highly than you ought, but rather think of yourself with sober judgment, in accordance with the faith God has distributed to each of you.

⁴ For just as each of us has one body with many members, and these members do not all have the same function, ⁵ so in Christ we, though many, form one body, and each member belongs to all the others. ⁶ We have different gifts, according to the grace given to each of us. If your gift is prophesying, then prophesy in accordance with your faith; ⁷ if it is serving, then serve; if it is teaching, then teach; ⁸ if it is to encourage, then give encouragement; if it is giving, then give generously; if it is to lead, do it diligently; if it is to show mercy, do it cheerfully.

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