

# RECALIBRATE

JAN 26

## RESPOND WEEK #4

## TALK IT OVER

**Think back. What stands out?**

### 3 Right Responses to God

1) Praise

*Praise him for his mighty deeds; praise him according to his excellent greatness!*

Psalm 150:2

2) Generosity

*Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.*

2 Corinthians 9:7

3) Obedience

*Obey me, and I will be your God and you will be my people. Walk in obedience to all I command you, that it may go well with you.*

Jeremiah 7:23

**Start talking. Choose a conversation starter for your group.**

- Share about a time when you did not get the response you expected. (Maybe you helped or blessed someone without much gratitude. Or you made a mistake and were surprised at how your parents responded.)
- Fill in the blank. God, thank you for \_\_\_\_\_.

**Start sharing. Choose questions that create openness.**

- How has your understanding of worship been recalibrated during this series?
- John talked today about 3 responses to God. Which of these is the easiest for you? The most challenging?
- Read Colossians 3:12-17. What phrases or images stand out to you? Can you find reference to the 3 responses to God?

**Start digging. Read Scripture about responding.**

2 Corinthians 5:15

2 Samuel 6:14-15

Nehemiah 8:5-6

1 John 4:19

**Start praying. Be bold, and pray specifically.**

*Heavenly Father, thank you for your love. Thank you for calling us into a life with you. Put a song of praise on our lips, gratitude in our hearts, and spirits eager to obey. We honor you for all you have done. Thank you for the hope we have because of your Son. In Jesus' name, amen.*

**Start doing.**

It is easy for us to think that worship happens for an hour on Sunday mornings. Our whole lives are meant to be defined by worship! Choose to worship each day this week, whether through recalibrating, remembering, receiving, or responding.