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Hope Returns

2 Thessalonians 1:1-4 Rekindled

Summary: The thriving model church at Thessalonica has lost hope and the Apostle Paul pens his second letter to both theologically and practically reignite the hope they had in King Jesus.

**Scripture – 2 Thessalonians 1:1-4; 1 Thessalonians 1:3; Proverbs 13:12;
2 Timothy 2:13**

Community Group Questions

- 1. “When you don’t have hope in the future, you’ve lost power in the present.”**
- 2. How is knowing that we belong to the Father and that Jesus is King, fundamental to our hope?**
- 3. To rekindle hope you need buddies. Who are your buddies?**
- 4. “The fertilizer that allows great faith to grow is humility.”**
- 5. The enemy always starts with what is wrong in your life. Share three things that are right in your life?**
- 6. How important is affirmation in life?**
- 7. Gossip is toxic. What are biblical responses to gossip?**
- 8. Fire purifies faith. What does it mean to reassess difficulties (fire) through the lens of scripture?**
- 9. “What God wants we dilute with comfort.” How do you deal with comfort vs. character in your life?**