

# The Life Challenge

*I came that they may have life and have it abundantly." John 10:10*

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## WARM - UP

Who in your life are you closest to? Who do you know best, and who knows you the best?

What has unity with others looked like for you in your life?

Now read the text (John 17:1-26).

## DISCUSSION

1. Today, the term "eternal life" is usually used simply to refer to spiritual salvation from our sins - that those who believe in Jesus will not die spiritually, but live forever in heaven. What do you make of Jesus' definition of eternal life in verse 3? How does this inform or broaden our understanding of what eternal life means for those who believe in Jesus?

2. What does Jesus say about the unity that he has with the Father? How does he invite us, his followers, into the unity that he has with the Father?

3. What does Jesus say about our relationship to the world? Look especially at verses 9-11, 14-15, and 21-23.

## DISCUSSION

4. Out of the desires that Jesus reveals for us in this prayer, which one resonates the most with you and why? Which one do you struggle to trust in the most?

He wants us to know him and have eternal life (v. 3)

He wants us to be protected in his name (v. 11)

He wants us to experience the full measure of his joy (v. 13)

He wants us to be protected from the evil one (v. 15)

He wants us to be sanctified (vv. 17-19) / He wants us to be one (v. 21)

He wants us to be with him where he is (v. 24)

He wants us to see his glory (v. 24) / He wants us to experience his love (v. 26)

## APPLICATION

How is Jesus inviting you into deeper union with him?

How is Jesus inviting you into deeper union with others?

How is Jesus inviting you to glorify him to the world in this season of your life?