

Preparation for the Curve

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WARM UP

Share a dream you once had and can actually remember. Just for fun, have someone in your group give an “interpretation” of it!

COMING UP

GRACEPOLARIS.ORG/CALENDAR

Communion Sunday, June 11, 6:00 p.m., FC main gym

Summer Affinity Groups Weeks of June 18–August 20. Learn more and sponsor your own group at GracePolaris.org/SummerGroups!

Vacation Bible School 2017 June 26–30, 9:00 a.m. Register, volunteer, or donate items at www.VacationBible.School!

WITNESS

- On your white board, list the names of people in your sphere of influence you’re praying will come to know Jesus.
- Share any progress/updates. Pray together for God to use you and your Grace Group to influence these people for Jesus.

EXPLORE

- 1 Share about a tough situation in your life that you now look back on with clarity. What helped you to get through it? What did God teach you through this struggle?
- 2 What would compel you to make a right choice even when that choice is not popular (or might even hurt someone)?
- 3 Have you ever faced opposition for making a right decision like Joseph did? Share what happened. When is it hardest for you to remain faithful to doing what is right?
- 4 If you could envision your life 20 years from now, what would you dream it to be like? What part does God play in that dream?
- 5 With a limited perspective, how can you stay faithful to Jesus when you face one of life’s “curveballs?”
- 6 How does embracing the author of your story give you hope and help you remain faithful despite the curveballs of life?
- 7 **DIG DEEPER** Read Romans 8 and reflect on this statement: “Regardless of your circumstances, God is always working for His glory and for your good.” What makes this statement difficult to embrace? How does it encourage you?

PRAY

Pray that you would embrace and trust the author of your story in the challenges you face.