**SUNDAY MORNING YOUTH**

Series: The New Normal

Week 3: Make The New Normal Heaven on Earth

Connection Group Dialogue

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| **Big Idea:** *After remembering what was and assessing what is, let us move forward with the heart of the Lord’s Prayer and ask God for the strength and faith to participate in making the future “on Earth as it is in heaven.”* |

**Scripture References:**

*Pray then like this:*

*“Our Father in heaven,  
hallowed be your name.*

*Your kingdom come,  
your will be done,   
    on earth as it is in heaven.*

*Give us this day our daily bread,   
and forgive us our debts,  
    as we also have forgiven our debtors.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
    but deliver us from evil.*

*Matthew 6:9-13 (ESV)*

*“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.”*

*2 Corinthians 5:17 (ESV)*

*“And I am sure of this, that he who began a good work in you will bring it to completion at the day of Jesus Christ.”*

*Philippians 1:6 (ESV)*

GOAL OF SMALL GROUP

**To help students realize that after a big “reset” like COVID, we have the chance to identify what’s important together and move forward trying to champion and live out the change we want to see in the world for the kingdom and sake of the gospel.**

***Create meaningful conversation. Adjust questions as needed, and don’t feel like you need to answer all of them.***

1. Briefly go over the big idea and Scripture passages. Then ask, “How does your heart need to change to start taking advantage of opportunities God has already laid out for you?”
2. What is something in your personal future (let’s say the next 12 months) that you’ll really need to trust God for?
3. What is a way you’re hoping God will use you for the benefit of others sometime in the near future (remainder of the school year)?

***Please wrap up discussion/prayer by 11:55.***