



## Growth Group Homework – April 30, 2023

### Warm-Up

1. Tell about a time that you were confident you could easily accomplish something but ended up struggling through it. How did you respond?

### Talk it Over

2. What in the message did you find challenging or helpful?
3. Elliot talked about how as Christians our hope is in Jesus the Messiah. Describe what that means for your life.
4. The dictionary definition of hope is a feeling of expectation and desire for something to happen. Based on our culture now, list out things that people put their hope in.

- Why do you think people find these hopes attractive?
- How have you seen these hopes not meet people's expectations over time?

5. Read Hebrews 10:23. Sometimes the hope we “profess” and our actual hopes don't match up.

- Our time, money, and thoughts reflect the things that are important to us. What do your time, money, and thoughts reveal about where you place your hope?
- In the areas you just identified, what would be the key challenges in shifting your hope to Christ?

6. Hebrews 11:1 says “Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.” Share a time in your life when you trusted God in uncertainty. How did you see His faithfulness?

### Take It Home

7. Read Hebrews 6:19-20.
- What is an actionable step you can take this week to shift your hope toward Jesus?
  - Memorize this verse as a reminder about the power that comes from the hope found in Jesus.