



GROUP STUDY GUIDE

WEEK OF DECEMBER 22, 2024 | CELEBRATE THE YEAR

WARM-UP QUESTION

What is your favorite Christmas tradition that you do now or that your family did when you were a kid?

DISCUSS

We are almost finished with 2024! An essential part of group health is celebrating all that God is doing in and through you. Sometimes it can be hard to remember to celebrate in our normal day-to-day rhythms, so use the end of the year as an opportunity to reflect all together. Take some time to discuss the questions below.

Personal Reflection:

- What am I celebrating from the past year?
- What am I proud of from the past year?
- How did I grow as a disciple of Jesus in 2024? What new spiritual rhythm do I hope to continue in 2025?
- What did I learn about God this year? Where did I see Him move in my personal life? My professional life? My relationships?

Group Reflection:

- What are you celebrating as a group from the past year?
- Where was your group stretched this year? What conversations or circumstances caused you to grow?
- Spend some time affirming and encouraging one another – how have you seen others in your group persevere in their faith this year? How has God used the men/women in your group to help you grow closer to Him?

RESPOND

Spend time intentionally praying for one another. You can break up into pairs and pray or pray in a circle and have everyone pray for the person next to them. Here are some prompts to get you started:

- Thank God for the person you are praying for. Thank God for specific attributes about them and for how you've seen them glorify Him.
- Praise God for the things they are celebrating from 2024 and pray that God would continue to work in and through them.
- Pray for the year ahead. Pray for their continued discipleship and that he/she would continue to grow in their relationship with Jesus.
- Pray any specific Scriptures that come to mind over them.