

Work & Rest

God's Design for Work (Genesis 2:1-15)

Life Group Questions – June 5, 2022



Connect

1. Share with the group some of the jobs you've had or work you've done—paid or unpaid. Of these, have you had a favorite?

Learn

2. What comes to mind when you hear the word work—is it more positive or negative for you?
3. **Read Genesis 1:26-28; 2:1-15.** What's do these verses reveal to us about God and His original intention and design for work—what do you notice?
4. What specific details does **Genesis 2:8-14** give about the garden? In your imagination how big do you think it was, and what was it like to live there?
5. God placed the man in the garden (and eventually the woman) to “work it and take care of it” (**Genesis 2:15**). In what ways is gardening like any kind of work that we do? Explain.
6. What idea in the message or line from the notes stood out to you? Share it and explain why.

Apply

7. What does God want you to know about the work (paid or unpaid) you're currently doing—is it a word of encouragement, guidance or correction? What's He saying to you?

Care and Pray

We ask our groups to focus on **3 simple practices: to care, learn and pray together**. Please make time before departing to check in with each other and pray for one another.