

 **LIFE Group Discussion Questions for September 2/3, 2017**

**GUIDELINES:** LIFE Group Discussion Questions are meant to be a tool used to help guide your time together. You may or may not fit all areas and questions into your time. Additional resources such as the LIFE Group Video Question can be found each week at: [www.crossroadschurch.com/Ministries](http://www.crossroadschurch.com/Ministries) under ‘LIFE Group Resources’.

**Enjoy your time and let God lead you!**

**KICKING IT OFF:** If you had this week to do over again, what would you do differently?

**MEMORY VERSE***: “*A man who isolates himself seeks his own desire; He rages against all wise judgement.” Proverbs 18:1 (NKJV)

**GROUP DISCUSSION:**

1. This weekend we kicked off a series on boundaries. In the series Pastor Chuck posed the question “has anyone ever invaded your space?” What is your answer to that question? What was that experience like?
2. How would you feel if your neighbor dumped their trash on your property? How does this relate to how others might dump the garbage of their life on you?
3. Having boundaries allows us to care for one another. Read Galatian 6:1-5. How is this example of caring and a warning of appropriate boundaries?
4. How does setting healthy boundaries correlate with living a healthy life? Read Proverbs 4:23 and Job 24:2.
5. Is there such a thing as too many boundaries? What could happen to your life if you were to reach that point? Read Proverbs 18:1.
6. Even Jesus said “No” to good things so that he could fulfill the mission he was set out to do. Read Mark 1:34-38. Share a time when you said “No” to something good because there was something better awaiting you. Did you know something better was awaiting you? Read Proverbs 22:3.

**GOING DEEPER:**

***Love Like Jesus Loves***

* How are you modeling Christ like boundaries for those you love (with God, your spouse, your kids, your friends, your co-workers, etc.)?

***Intentional Intimacy***

* Do you set an intentional appointment (time) with God into your daily schedule? What does that time with God look like?

***Fully Surrendered***

* Would you say God is inside your boundaries or currently outside of your boundaries based on the use of your time, talent and treasure?

 ***Experience More***

* This week practice saying NO to some things so you can say YES to better things that God has planned for you.