

## STUDY GUIDE | OCTOBER 11, 2020

# CREATED FOR COMMUNITY

## THE POINTS FROM THIS MESSAGE WERE:

- We are created for community
- We're made for loving relationships

#### **TAKEWAYS:**

- Connect with a small group
- Make a "vow of stability"

#### **LET'S TALK**

- 1. What impacted you the most from this week's message?
- 2. The first crisis in the Bible is a crisis of community. We experience this crisis even today. Despite the ways technology has helped connect us, in many ways, people have never felt more alone. What are some ways you see loneliness in our culture?
- 3. Because we were made in the image of a relational God, we are relational beings created for community. Talk about a time when you felt that longing for meaningful and loving relationships deeply.
- 4. Share one way you've been blessed by your small group.
- 5. Tim Keller says, "People are messy; therefore, relationships will be messy. Expect messiness." As a small group, do you expect messiness or are you surprised (and disappointed) when it happens? Has your group discussed how it will respond when things get "messy"?
- 6. Pastor Steve talks about the "vow of stability" and the importance of being committed to your community. What is one way you can deepen your commitment to your small group and to your fellow group members?

### **LET'S PRAY**

Spend some time in prayer (for each other, for our community and for the world).

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