



# Small Group Discussion

The Week of: Dec. 10, 2025

What's your life like:

Would you rather get one incredible, life-changing gift this Christmas or a bunch of smaller, fun gifts and why?

What are we talking about this week:

## Main Point of Message

- presence > presents

## Discussion Questions

1. **When you hear that Jesus is called Immanuel, God with us, what does that actually mean to you personally?**  
How is that different from the idea that God is far away or uninterested?
2. **The message said the greatest gift we could receive is God's presence.**  
In your everyday life (school, friendships, family), what would it look like to actually experience God being with you?
3. **Daniel talked about feeling overwhelmed until he realized help was close by.**  
What is something in your life right now that feels stressful, scary, or out of control and how might remembering "God is not far away" change how you view it?
4. **Mark shared how fear feels bigger when you feel alone.**  
Can you think of a time when you felt alone in your struggles? How does knowing Jesus is with you and is stronger than anything you face, speak into that situation?
5. **The message ended by talking about Jesus defeating sin and death so we don't face them alone.**  
What questions or thoughts do you have about what it means to put your faith in Jesus or grow deeper in your relationship with Him this Christmas?

Now what:

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

Don't forget – next week is our Online Christmas Special on Eagle Brook Students Youtube!

We'll see you all back in-person on Jan 7, 2026!