



## **SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS**

### **READ EXODUS 35**

1. EVEN THOUGH GOD GAVE ISRAEL A COMMAND TO OBSERVE THE SABBATH- THERE WAS AN UNDERLYING PRINCIPLE TO REST AND REMEMBER. HOW IS THAT PRINCIPLE DIFFICULT FOR YOU AND WHAT IS YOUR RHYTHM OF REST AND REMEMBERING?
2. WHAT DOES THE UNDERSTANDING THAT GOD INSTITUTED CAPITAL PUNISHMENT FOR NOT OBSERVING THE SABBATH COMMUNICATE ABOUT GOD'S DEDICATION TO OBEDIENCE?
3. IN NUMBERS 15:38 ONWARD, GOD GIVES INSTRUCTIONS TO ISRAEL TO HELP THEM REMEMBER HIS INSTRUCTIONS. WHAT DOES THIS TELL YOU ABOUT GOD'S DESIRE FOR OBEDIENCE?
4. AFTER COMMANDING THE SABBATH AGAIN, GOD INVITES ISRAEL TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE BUILDING OF THE TABERNACLE. WHY DO YOU THINK IT WAS AN INVITATION INSTEAD OF A COMMAND?
5. WHAT DOES IT SAY ABOUT GOD AND HIS RELATIONSHIP WITH US WHEN HE NOT ONLY ALLOWS US, BUT INVITES US INTO HIS MISSION?
6. WHAT'S AN AREA IN LIFE THAT YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY HOLDING WITH OPEN HANDS?