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#### **CLOSER LOOK: 10.02.2022**

### **CELEBRATION WEEKEND: Who we are**

**SCRIPTURES:** Isaiah 54:2-3; 1 Corin. 1:9-7, 4:17; 1 Kings 10:1-13

**Ice Breaker**: Share a meaningful anniversary/birthday occasion with the group. What made it special? Take time to pray with anyone who is dealing/struggling with a difficult one.

## Message Notes:

CELEBRATION CHURCH'S VALUES: come from 1 Kings 10 and the encounter of Queen Sheba and Solomon...

- 1. Christ FIRST
- 2. People Are a BIG Deal
- 3. Excellence in All Things
- 4. EVERYONE Grows
- 5. We ARE Family

# Prayer:

Lord, we thank you for your word. As we consider milestones, may our salvation remain one we are thankful for. We pray that the spirit that led us to surrender would continue to mature in us. We pray that we may continue to study your word, meditate on it and grow through our time with you. Lord, would you continue to call out our gifts & talents, and give us opportunity to share you with the world through them. May we continue to make you first as we love on your people and walk in excellence. As we grow in you, may we seek out opportunities to help others grow too. Heavenly Father, "let us live the truth to the ones we love and let our lives be proof that there is only one who's name will last forever" (Casting Crowns, "Only Jesus"). Amen .

## **Questions:**

- 1. Get out your bibles and read through the Scriptures for this week. As you read them, discuss which core values are being exemplified.
- 2. **Read Matthew 5: 38-48**. What does "excellence in all things" mean to you? How do we strive for a posture and not perfection of action?
- 3. **Read Hebrews 5:12-14**. Considering growth, how are you using your gifts and talents to serve the church and to grow in your walk with Christ?

## What's Coming Up:

- OCT 5: Pursuit Night
- OCT 8: Serve Saturday
- OCT 12: Wave Night
- OCT 13: Endeavor Night
- OCT 15: A21, Walk for Freedom
- OCT 20: CRTV Team Night
- https://rock.celebration.church/events