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We're glad you decided to check us out this morning. We hope you find what you are looking for. We're really curious as to why you decided to visit:

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How can we pray for, celebrate with and listen to you?

- Please keep this request among the pastors
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TALK POINTS

Suggested discussion questions for conversation.

1. What's the difference between trying and training?
2. Read 1 Corinthians 9:24-27. What is this passage saying to you?
3. On Sunday, Pastor John said, "The problem of spiritual formation among Christians today is not a lack of means, but a lack of vision and intention." Do you agree? Why or why not?
4. Identify 1-2 spiritual disciplines that you'd like to incorporate into your life. Which ones did you select and how do you intend on practicing them?
Soul Training Exercise:

This week, write a letter to God that begins with, "Dear God, the life I want most for myself is..."

In the letter, you may want to acknowledge the mistakes you've made, but try to describe in the rest of your letter, what a good and beautiful life would look like for you. What practices or teachings of Jesus have you incorporated into your life? Will it involve a major life change? Will it demand a new set of friends? Will it involve changing old narratives and habits? Feel free to dream big! Let God in on your greatest hopes.

Tuck the letter away in a safe place. At the end of this year, maybe on New Year's Eve, take it out and read it. What's changed in your life? Are you training yourself towards the vision you and God have for your life?

HOPE HAPPENINGS...

All of our upcoming events and registrations can be found on our website www.hopecovenant.church.

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