

# April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2016 Message Discussion Questions

1. Check in question:

- Everyone share one of your favorite books from childhood and your favorite genre of music. Explain why for one.

2. Review Genesis 4 and the main ideas of the message together.

- What do you remember?
- What stood out to you?

3. Micheal talked about the fact that we're in the midst of a war today that started here in Genesis 4.

- In what ways do you see that playing out in our world today?

4. What's different (in general) between wartime and peacetime (brainstorm together)?

- What does it change about your everyday life knowing that this is true for us today?
- Read Ephesians 6.10-18 together.
  - How does this help inform the answer to the last question?

5. Why do you think receiving correction is so hard for us as people?

- What do you find particularly hard for you personally?

6. What are some ways to make sure we stay open to correction in our day to day lives?

7. Define grace in your own words.

- What do you think the Bible's definition of grace is?
- Read Romans 6.1-14 together.
  - What does this tell us about grace?
  - How does this help us to understand how to live under grace today?

8. Pray for each other.

\* Read all of Genesis 6-10 in the next week or so on your own. We'll be digging into that in the future and you'll want some familiarity with it!