



## WEEK 3: JESUS ENCOUNTER D-GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

### GET TO KNOW YOU

Pastor Josh started by sharing his Six Stages of 2020 (Denial, Freak Out, False Hope, Summer Love, Apocalypse and Forging). Did you experience any of those stages? How?

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. [From Week 2]: Were you more intentional to keep your eyes upon Jesus this past week? How did that impact your week?
2. Read Matthew 2:9-10. For the Magi, they were overjoyed with exceedingly great joy when they found Jesus. There is always joy in the journey. Although your journey with Jesus is far from over, what joy has Jesus brought to your life along the way?
3. Read Matthew 2:11. The Magi brought meaningful gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh to Jesus. What was one of the most meaningful gifts you've ever given to someone or a meaningful gift that someone gave to you? What made it so meaningful?
4. Pastor Josh finished by sharing three general responses to the coming of Christ: hostility (King Herod), indifference (chief priests) and transformation (Magi). In your life or in the lives of those that you know, how have you seen these three responses lived out?
5. The Magi returned home a different route because they were warned in a dream. How has God primarily spoken to you? What are some instances where God spoke to you?
6. What else from the message stood out to you?

Finish your time together with prayer. If you would like Centre Church to pray for anything in particular for you, let your D-Group Leader know.