

# BE One.

## **Week 2 Conversation Guide - BELONG**

### **Big idea**

Life can be a difficult journey made easier when we are in community with others. We will all experience problems from time to time; key relationships built on trust and honesty will make the mountains easier to climb.

### **Let's talk**

- 1. Trusting others is not an easy process. Is there a time in your life where you saw a relationship move from a place of suspicion to a place of trust?
- 2. It is human nature to want to hide our flaws and imperfections. However, real community happens when we can recognize our own flaws and share them with friends. What would it look like if we were to stop pretending that everything is OK and begin to share openly and honestly? Follow up: Do you welcome feedback or do you resent the person who shines a light on your blind spots?
- 3. Living in community is more than merely telling someone what to do. It is about prioritizing reconciliation, paying attention to your emotions, and working through differences with patience and grace. Do you tend to lead with your emotions? Follow up: How can you promote dialogue over division in your closest relationships?

### **Reflect and Respond**

We were created to be in community with others, and we can go further if we go together. Who are you going to “rope up” with this year? Which of the three areas discussed in this week’s message (suspicion to trust, hiding to honesty, or division to dialogue) will require the most work for you over the coming days and weeks? How will making these changes help you as you journey ahead into all that God has for you?



# **NOTES** + Prayer Requests

