

*Weekend Message on January 7, 2024*

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### NEW CIRCLES

Start with a “get to know you” conversation. Ask everyone to introduce themselves, share how they got connected at Valley Creek, and one fun fact about themselves.

### DISCUSS & ENGAGE THE SCRIPTURES

1. Read [Psalms 136:1](#). What do you need to celebrate from 2023?
2. Read [2 Corinthians 3:17 NLT](#). What do you need to leave behind in 2023?
3. Read [Matthew 7:7-8](#). What do you want to ask God for (dreams, desires, needs, wants) for 2024?
4. Read [Romans 14:17](#) and [Zephaniah 3:17](#). What is the Holy Spirit showing you about your righteousness in God through this interlude (selah)?

### PRAY

Jesus, thank You for a time to pause and reflect on Your goodness. We pray for a strong relationship with You this year.

### LEADERS

- Invite your Circle to RE Days 2 and 3. Details are at [valleycreek.org/re](http://valleycreek.org/re).
- Our semester officially launches on January 21 and we'll begin taking attendance and asking for feedback on a specific question.