

There are days where everything goes wrong ... And then there are whole seasons where the best we can do is hold on. When all our best efforts seem to get us nowhere, we've done all we know to do, and we're at the end of our rope. Where do we look when there's no hope to be seen?

- Open with prayer.
- If your group is new, give everyone time to introduce themselves.

CONVERSATION STARTERS

- What's the story behind the longest time you've gone without sleep?
- What's one thing you're looking forward to in the future?
- Share something new or a highlight from this past week.

REVIEW

Together, open your Bibles and read from **Hosea 2:14-15**.

- Share your favourite points from the weekend sermon. What spoke to you?
- Share a phrase or moment that you related to the most, or a question you may have from the weekend.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- How would you define hope?
- What does it look like to have hope in Jesus? How has Jesus given you hope?
- What does it look like for us to have a love that lasts and endures? How does Jesus' love for us change the way we love others?
- How does it feel to know that God continually pursues us even when we do wrong?
- How does the story of Hosea connect with you?
- Why do we have trouble depending on God?
- Remember a time when you greatly depended on God. Share with the group.
- How do these verses apply to your life? What will you do about it?

PRAISE & PRAYER POINTS

Share what God is doing in your life and spend some time praying for each other's prayer requests.