Life Group Questions for 4/17/24 "Fabric of Scripture"

- 1. What stood out to you from the sermon?
- 2. As a group, make a top 10 list for the following:
 - A) heroes of the Bible
 - B) villains of the Bible
 - C) stories of the Bible
- 3. Pastor Matt used the weaving of cloth as a metaphor for scripture. He likened the stories and characters of the Bible as the "weft" or aide to side threads woven into the fabric. The long threads, or "Warp", are the character traits of God revealed in the various stories.
- 4. What do you think of this metaphor?

Pastor Matt spoke of the Bible revealing the character traits of God such as power and love.

- 5. What would God be like if God was powerful but not loving?
- 6. What if God was loving but not powerful?
- 7. Why are these two traits so important to hold together?
- 8. What other attributes of God are revealed in scripture?
- 9. Pastor Matt spoke of "The Justice Thread" saying that God's Justice is also a thread that runs through scripture. Take time to read the memory verse at the beginning of each chapter of the Justice Thread Book. How does each verse add to the picture of God caring about justice?
- 10. Pastor Matt closed the message with contrasting the church at El Mina Slave Castle in Ghana with the faith of Harriet Tubman, John Newton, William Wilberforce and Desmond Tutu. What is the difference?

Pray for our church as we embark on this study.