Life Group Questions for 1/7/2024 Overcoming Barriers – Angela Yee

Open your time with prayer.

Read 1 Samuel 17

- 1. What key points from this week's message stood out to you?
- 2. Of these four barriers, which one do you most resonate with: frustration of being sidelined, lack of meaningful opportunities, pain of misunderstanding, or pressure of conformity?
- 3. Frustration of being sidelined (v. 15) David was sidelined because he had a role to play which was not what he preferred. What do you observe about his story that helps develop a faithful mindset?
- 4. Lack of meaningful opportunities (v.17-19) David acted responsibly despite his menial labor. In your perspective, how does the intersection of trusting God and taking action work together?
- 5. Pain of misunderstanding (v.28)— Share a time you felt misunderstood and what you learned from your cultural lens.
- 6. Pressure to conform (v. 38-39)— Where do you see this happening in where you live or work? What difference does it make to have an identity based on God?
- 7. What were some of the aspects of intercultural agility that you learned in how you can create a place of belonging for others?
- 8. What do you sense God is calling you to surrender or act on this year?

Share prayer requests and pray for each other.