

## PRACTICAL APPLICATION \_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you find that communicating with God is something that comes naturally, or is it a challenge for you? Explain.

What things can you do to cultivate a more honest relationship with God?

2. Consider your current prayer life. What have you been holding back on in your conversations with God?

What is the last 10% you need to share with Him or with someone else? What might happen if we fully disclose to God what is truly on our heart?

*\*Make sure you read through Chapter 12 before you come to church next weekend.*

## PRAYER REQUESTS \_\_\_\_\_

# MESSAGE NOTES

After Amen series  
Share the Last 10%

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Most people are \_\_\_\_\_ with themselves.

\_\_\_\_\_ relationships = \_\_\_\_\_ relationships

Until we're \_\_\_\_\_ about who we are and how we

feel, we cannot \_\_\_\_\_ who He is and how He feels.

Being honest to \_\_\_\_\_ forces you to be honest to \_\_\_\_\_.

Being honest to God brings \_\_\_\_\_ of perspective.

Being honest to God gives you a \_\_\_\_\_.

Being honest \_\_\_\_\_ God allows you to have a closer relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
God.

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# CONNECT GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

For the week of May 21, 2023

After Amen series

## GETTING STARTED \_\_\_\_\_

1. Do you have a person in your family that tends to share too much information? If so, who is it and does that bother you?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
2. What are some examples of things people feel are more difficult to share with others? Why?

## DIGGING DEEPER \_\_\_\_\_

1. When have you been confused about why God allowed something to happen? Have you ever asked Him, "How long?"

What was the issue that got you to that place?

2. Is there a difference between doubting God and wanting to understand His purpose? Do you think it's wrong to question God when our prayers are not answered in the way we had hoped? Explain.

3. On Sunday Pastor Clay said, "Until we are honest to God about who we are and how we feel, we cannot grasp who He is and how He feels." Do you agree with this statement? Why or why not?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. Habakkuk is often referred to as the complaining Prophet, but really, he was just honest with God about how he felt at times. Read **Habakkuk 1:5-6, 12-13**. What was he talking to God about?

What did God reveal to Habakkuk (and us) about Himself in these verses?

5. God's desire is to have a reciprocating relationship with us. Read the following verses and discuss when you meet as a group.

- **Jeremiah 29:3**

- **Zachariah 1:3**

- **Matthew 6:33**

- **James 4:8**

What can we learn from these verses about how serious God is about having a reciprocating relationship with us?