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Message: Re-Thread - Weaving Life & Good News

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## Connection

What is something that has happened recently in your life that you want to celebrate and say "thank you God!"?

### Content - There is a common thread of "Re" in the Bible.

There is a common thread of "Re" woven into each of our lives as well. God weaves it into our lives by revealing Himself to us, giving us second chances, forgiving our wrongs, and bringing healing into our pain. That thread is the Good News.

**Reveal:** Reveal means going behind what was covered. We are fascinated by revealing something that is hidden. In our culture we love gender reveals, we love opening gifts, and we love watching something being discovered.

1. What is one type of "reveal" that you always enjoy and find yourself being intrigued by?

### God Reveals His Goodness To You

Read Exodus 33:14-20. God is at the same time transcendent and immanent. God reveals Himself to us in extraordinary ways and yet is there with us personally.

2. When have you felt God with you?

**3.** Read Exodus 34:5-8 and Psalm 19:1-4. How does God use nature to reveal Himself to you?

# **God Reveals Good Things To You**

4. Psalm 16:2 says, "I said to the Lord,"You are my Master! Every good thing I have comes from you."" Now read James 1:17. God is the creator of life itself. When you see something good, or something good has come to you, how can you take a moment to say "thank you God"?

## **God Reveals His Good News To You**

Read Hebrews 1:1-3 and Matthew 4:12-17. God commands everything and reveals what is important for us to know.

5. What do both of these passages teach about Jesus and what He reveals to us?

6. Luke 4:16-22. Those who are trapped by something can be set free by the power of Jesus. What burdens or heaviness are you facing today and what would it look like to live free from that?

How can you give these burdens to Christ?

#### Commitment

7. God is revealing his goodness to you every day. Sometimes we simply need to notice it.

How is God revealing Himself to you?

**Challenge Assignment:** Who is one person that you can invite to church this week? Take time this week to model these three words: Relational, Inspirational and Invitational and invite them to join us at church next week.