### **BridgeWay Community Church**

# **Returning Home**

20 June - Randy Phillips

Luke 15:11-32

#### LIFE

Building life giving relationships

**CATCH UP:** Spend 20-30 minutes catching up with each member of the group and sharing prayer requests. Make sure to spend a few minutes praying for each other.

YOUR STORY: What movie moves/inspires you?

#### **GOD**

Growing more like Jesus together

#### **ENGAGE THE MESSAGE:**

- 1. **Read** Luke 15:11-13
- 2. What story about yourself are you believing?
- 3. In what ways can you relate to the rebellious son?
- 4. In regards to the prodigal son story, Randy spoke about how grace precedes confession. The father embraced his son before the son even had a chance to speak. How have you seen God's grace like this in life?
- 5. Could you forgive your child if they did what the prodigal son did?
- 6. What is an example of God's goodness and grace that you have seen recently in life?

#### **OTHERS**

Loving God and loving others

**OTHERS:** In what ways can you be present in the lives of others? Challenge: Ask your kids or family/friends; what is one thing you would like me to do more of and one thing you'd like me to do less of? Then don't fight it, just receive it as an area to improve.

## **John Summer Quiet Time Guide**

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□ John 1:1-18	
□ John 1:19-34	□ John 11:1-27
□ John 1:35-51	□ John 11:28-44
□ John 2:1-12	□ John 11:45-57
□ John 2:13-25	□ John 12:1-8
□ John 3:1-14	□ John 12:9-26
□ John 3:16-21	□ John 12:27-50
□ John 3:22-36	□ John 13:1-20
□ John 4:1-45	□ John 13:21-38
□ John 4:46-54	□ John 14:1-14
□ John 5:1-17	□ John 14:16-31
□ John 5:18-47	□ John 15:1-17
□ John 6:1-21	□ John 15:18-16:4
□ John 6:22-59	□ John 16:5-24
□ John 6:60-71	□ John 16:26-33
□ John 7:1-24	□ John 17:1-26
□ John 7:25-36	□ John 18:1-18
□ John 7:37-53	□ John 18:19-27
□ John 8:1-11	□ John 18: 28-40
□ John 8:12-30	□ John 19:1-27
□ John 8:31-59	□ John 19:28-42
□ John 9:1-12	□ John 20:1-10
□ John 9:13-41	□ John 20:11-31
□ John 10:1-21	□ John 21:1-14
□John 10:22-42	□ John 21:15-25

Read one block a day. Plan to answer these 3 questions about each block and to share these with someone else:

- 1) What is the theme?
- 2) What question(s) is the section answering:
  - A. Is there something new about God? (What?)
  - B. Is there an application to make?
  - C. Is there a promise to keep?
  - D. Is there a sin to avoid?
  - E. Is there a command to obey?
- 3) What is your best thought and best verse? What stood out to you? What is the Spirit speaking to you about?

Then take some time to pray (Use the W.A.R. prayer: Worship, admit, request)