

## PREPARE HIM ROOM

Psalm 132

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This discussion guide is designed for Saylorville Church Community Groups as they live and learn together each week. The sermons and guides can be found at [www.saylorvillechurch.com/sermons](http://www.saylorvillechurch.com/sermons).

### CONNECT WITH YOUR GROUP (10-15 MINUTES)

- What is one Christmas tradition that helps you refocus on Christ each year - and which tradition tends to distract you?

### APPLY THE BIBLE (45-60 MINUTES)

- **Remember** what you talked about last time. Is there anything you need to **follow up** on this week?
- **Review** your Sermon Notes together. What is **one thing** that sticks out to you about what you learned?
- **Read** this week's passage together. In his message, **Pastor Jason encouraged us to prepare room in our lives for God this Christmas by centering our celebration on Him.**

### This Christmas, Prepare Him Room by...:

#### 1. Looking Back...to when God was at the center (Psalm 132:1-7)

- When you think of God's past faithfulness, what are some moments you remember?
- Psalm 132 recalls David's zeal to build a dwelling place for God. What would it look like for you to re-center your life around the presence of God this season?
- How can you build habits during December that help you rehearse God's trustworthy character rather than rehearse your anxieties?

#### 2. Looking Inside...Is God at the center of my life? (Psalm 132:8-12)

- Has God ever truly been at the center of your life? If so, describe that time. If not, why not?
- Where do you see competing "kings" trying to claim authority in your life - comfort, achievement, approval, control? What will you do to de-clutter and put Christ back at the center this week?
- Bethlehem - humble, tiny, and overlooked - became the birthplace of the King. Where might God be at work in small, humble, or unlikely places in your life right now?

#### 3. Looking Ahead...to when God will be at the center forever (Psalm 132:13-18)

- Psalm 132 ends with joy, shining, and God dwelling with His people. Which of those future realities strengthens your faith most today - and why?
- How could meditating on eternity (Revelation 21-22) change how you celebrate Christmas this year?
- If December is often busy or stressful, what practical steps can help you make worship, not activity, the center of your season?

***Receive and Respond: What will I do because of what I just heard?***

### PRAY TOGETHER (5-15 MINUTES)

- Ask God to help you remember specific ways He has been faithful in your past - and to trust Him for what's ahead.
- Pray that Christ would take His rightful place at the center of your thoughts, desires, and priorities this season.
- Pray for a deeper longing for Jesus' return and for the joy of His coming Kingdom to shape how you worship in December.
- Pray for someone in your life who needs the hope of the true King. Ask for boldness and compassion as you point them to Christ.

