# Life Group Questions International Women's Day John 4:1-42 The Samaritan Woman at the Well

- Read John 4:1-42, What are the things that stand out to you in this passage?
- God has an incredible way of using our circumstances for his purposes. Can you think of ways that God has used your story for his glory in the past?
- Each person's story is unique, and the things God places on their hearts are unique. What are the things that you feel God has called you to do? *This could be in church ministry, family life, your relationships, friendships, work etc.*

Sometimes there are things that act as blockers in us doing what God has called us to do.

## Disconnected - "We can't live for God if we don't connect with God."

- What are the things that prevent you from connecting with God?
- What are the things that you have found that help you in connecting with God?

## Time - "If you give God your heart, he will give you capacity."

- Do you feel that your time is distributed as well as it should be? Or are there things that take up a lot of your time that shouldn't?
- How can you be better at freeing up time to allow God to use you?

#### Doubt - "God doesn't always call the equipped, but he always equips the called."

- Are you someone who allows doubt to hold you back from doing all that God has called you to do?
- What advice would you give to someone who allows self-doubt to hold them back?

# Comparison - "Compare yourself with who you were yesterday, not with who someone else is today."

- What are the ways that comparison with others prevent us from allowing God to use us?
- "Don't be the next them, be the first you" What are the things that make you unique? How can you serve God in a way that nobody else can?

#### People - "Show me your friends and I'll show you your future."

- How do you identify which people in your life are bad for you? How do you know when it is necessary for us to invest in these people and when it is right for us to cut ties?
- We need people who will encourage us, and spur us on through the good and the bad times. Do you have people in your life who do this for you? How can you be this sort of person for others?
- Are there any other things not mentioned above that act as blockers for you?