

## LIFE TOGETHER

Let Us... - Hebrews 10:19-25  
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### I. Draw Near (vs. 19-22)

- No longer called to 'stay back' (Exodus 19), we are invited into God's presence.
- We are able to draw near because of what Christ has done as our sacrifice.
- We are able to draw near because of what Christ has done as our high priest.
- Jesus is both our access and our advocate...so we can come confidently (Hebrews 4:16).

### II. Hold Fast (vs. 23)

- Without wavering and looking to Jesus (Hebrews 12:1-2).
- In full assurance of our hope (Hebrews 3:6; 6:11).
- Hope is the mark of the believer (Ephesians 2:12-13; 1 Peter 1:3-5).
- Pray that our eyes will be open to the hope we have been called to (Ephesians 1:18-20).
- There is an anchor that has gone ahead to guarantee our hope (Hebrews 6:19-20)...Jesus is the 'anchor of the soul'.

### III. Stir Up (vs. 24-25)

- We are to 'press our minds' on to others.
- We are to 'stir' one another on...a positive irritant.
- We are to promote love and good works...affection and action.
- The encouragement is in the gathering...
- We gather to do ministry together and to be ministered to together.

### Questions/Discovery Points for Life Groups/Families

**Please read Hebrews 10:19-25**

1. Why are we able to draw near to God? What is our confidence rooted in?
2. What is the significance of the curtain in this text, and what is the role of the priest?
3. What are some Bible verses that encourage you to 'hold fast'?
4. How does Christian community help us to 'hold fast'?
5. How can you do a better job of considering others, specifically on Sunday morning?
6. Can you tell a personal story of when someone had to 'stir' you up? How did you respond?
7. In what ways are you encouraged as we gather on Sunday mornings?
8. How should the gospel impact your view of other people and the significance of corporate worship?