



# FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Dear Life Group Hosts,

Here are the materials you will need for next week's meeting and discussion group. You'll find a great message from Pastor John Piper on the need to die to self in order to show genuine love to God's people. The coaching trip also contains a great icebreaker as well as a wonderful article about how to make your small group a safe place where people can share openly and find healing for the painful experiences they've suffered in life.

Cheryl and I will be away for the next week and a half, seeking the Lord in prayer and asking Him to show us the next step He wants us to take in our spiritual journey. We welcome your prayers during this time. We will definitely be lifting up this precious church family in prayer while we're away. If there's anything the office can do to help you while we're out of town, please be sure to ask.

In Christ's Love,