Lean Back... It will be ok

John 17:1-5

REFLECT

In your core group, briefly share your response to one of these three questions.

- 1. How have you experienced the blessing of God in these past few weeks?
- 2. What burdens, worries, or anxieties have you been carrying and would appreciate prayer for?
- 3. What's a next step looking forward that you are excited about, fearful about, or uncertain about and want to step out in faith and need prayer support for?

STUDY

Read John 17:1-5

- If we define glory as the revelation of God's goodness and beauty that demands a response of praise, why is Jesus praying that God would glorify him?
- How does Jesus glorify the Father?
- What is the aspect of eternal life that Jesus highlights in his prayer?

Read Revelation 21:1-5

- What aspects of the eternal life awaiting us in the new creation stand out to you in this passage?
- As you imagine life in the new creation what are you most looking forward to? (To spur on your imagination think about the things in this world that you enjoy the most.)

RESPONSE

- What are some examples in your own life of how we can experience the kingdom of God?
- How might the gift of eternal life and the promise of new creation influence our lives in the following areas:
 - o Our character
 - o Our sense of purpose
 - Our relationship with Jesus

Close in Prayer. List prayer requests here.