

DISCIPLESHIP TRULY DEFINED.

Opening:

- *Quick check in on discipleship pursuit.*
- *What is one characteristic you received from your family that you want to keep, and which one do you wish you could change?*

Expectations:

- Show up, if you can't make it let us know.
- Have fun.
- What's shared here stays here.
- Be willing to be vulnerable. Growth happens with honesty.
- Share but leave room for others to talk.

Announcements:

Here is where the leader or someone in your group shares other opportunities to be involved at CCC.(Startingpoint 1st Sunday of the month)

Show Video(What do you turn to?) *You want to fast forward through mercy ships and cut off at the end.*

Discussion:

Read Jonah 2:1-10

- What is an idol?

The Hebrew word in verse 8 for idol is Hebel. It represents delusion, fraud or uselessness.

- What is the second part of verse 8 and why is it important?
- What does it mean to forsake?
- How would an idol get in the way of your faithfulness to God?

Take a minute as a group and share one idol that God has revealed to you in the past. Did you experience some of the emotions and feelings that Pastor Jada did?

Take a moment and take prayer requests around potential idols in your life today and go around and ask for a volunteer to pray for one person and another to pray for the next...

Finish Today's session with committing to one action step each to surrender the idol to God throughout the next week. (Name it, pray to God to release it, replace it with a spiritual discipline instead...)Remember these because we will do a check in next time you meet.