Small Group Questions:

How Will You Define Success in 2023?

- 1. Why is Solomon's story such a tragedy? Refer to Deuteronomy 17: 14~ and 1 Kings 10/11, 2 Chronicles 9 if needed.
- 2. What led Solomon into spiritual failure at the end of his life?
- 3. In the message, Israel was said to be constantly swayed by two temptations: the building of empire or the worship of idols. What are the empires or idols that you see in Kelowna? Share your own struggle with one of these temptations.
- 4. Share some examples of when Jesus taught contrary to these two temptations. Contrast earthly success and heavenly success.
- 5. Jesus taught **a lot** about the Heavenly Kingdom (as opposed to earthly kingdom). What **is** God's Kingdom?
- 6. Read Philippians chapter 3 and discuss. How did Paul's aim/goal change?
- 7. Share what your goals are for 2023. Discuss how you can change/adjust your goals to be more God centered. Be honest with yourself.