

**Learning to Love the Church**  
**Gathering Groups Discussion Questions:**

**Question #1**

- What stood out to you from this sermon?

**Question #2:**

- What were the two obstacles to loving the church that Dan mentioned?
- How has your faith been influenced by these?

**Question #3:**

- What is the difference between relating to God as a set of ideas that we have constructed and relating to God as a living being?
- What does it look like to treat God as a construct? Or a concept?
- What does it look like to engage God as revealed through Jesus?

**Question #4:**

- What hinders your love of the church?
- What next step is the Spirit leading you to take to fall in love with the church?