

Checkmate
Gathering Groups Discussion Questions:

Ice Breaker: How did you celebrate Easter this year?

Question #1:

- What impacted you the most from this sermon?
- How does the analogy of the chess match illustrate the work of God on the cross?

Question #2:

- Why is it so easy to become consumed by the circumstances of death and defeat, even when we believe that Jesus rose from the dead?

Question #3:

- How does this teaching offer you hope?
- What stands in the way of you seeing this hope?

Question #4:

- How does God meet us in what appears to be hopeless situations?
- What are some ways that we can meet with God and offer our dire circumstances to him?