



**Restoring Together**  
Life Groups Homework  
October 8, 2017  
“Deliver Us From Evil”

***Introduction***

Welcome to the second week of our new sermon series *Restoring Together*! In this series, we will confront the anger and division that have come to characterize our world, and possibly even our own lives. We will explore how followers of Jesus can live with grace, humility, and compelling witness in a time like this. We invite you to join us for the next four weeks as we pursue lives of civility and unity.

This guide is designed to facilitate deeper understanding and application of the sermon material. Leaders should feel free to tailor it to suit their group's unique culture.

***Getting Started***

1. Share your reaction to the events of the past week in Las Vegas. What fears, anxieties, or grief did you experience?
2. What insights have you gained from the sermon series so far? What do you intend to change in your life because of what you have learned?

***Going Deeper***

1. Read 1 Corinthians 13:1-13. Discuss the practices of faith, hope, or love and talk about what each one is and how it leads us out of fear and anger.
2. Read and discuss the meaning of 1 John 4:18. Is there a story from the Bible that illustrates the power of love to cast away fear?

***Living It Out***

1. According to the sermon, how is fear related to anger? What in our current political climate contributes to our fear and anger?
2. What does it mean to choose faith, hope, and love amidst evil? How do we do this in practical terms? What is our role? What is the role of the Holy Spirit?



3. What can you do this week to bring faith, hope, and love into the life of someone who is in the midst of sorrow?

*Corporate Prayer*

Close your meeting by praying for one another, both for specific requests and that all members would be transformed by the message encountered in this week's sermon.

