

THE LOVE OF GOD

THE BOOK OF 1 JOHN

LIFE IN THE LAST HOUR

1 JOHN 2:18-24

SCRIPTURE STUDY

Before you begin: *Open with prayer and spend a minute or two in silence before God. Have multiple people ask the Holy Spirit to enter your time together and illuminate your hearts and minds to scripture.*

- Have someone read the passages in their entirety aloud. As a group, summarize the passage, and as you do so, note any observations, questions, and exciting insights you found while reading through the text. What jumped out at you? What was something you noticed now that you didn't see before?
- How come people lie? What enables us to lie, and how come we want to believe lies over the truth?
 - What does John mean by the "last hour?"
 - Who is the antichrist? What does John mean when he says they came from us? Not of us?
 - What is the anointing that believers have received?
 - How can we discern the true voices from the false voices we hear in our world? (1 John 4)
- How are you actively seeking to abide with Jesus? What does this look like for you and your family? Where have you found success? Where have you failed?