



### INTO PRAYER

What is one way that others could pray for you this week? Who can you share this with?

If you are in a Community Group, write down how you can pray for others in the group. (If not, ask a friend how you can pray for them.)

# WEEKLY TAKE-HOME Bible Study

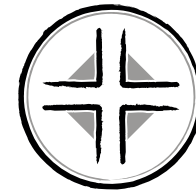
WEEK OF FEBRUARY 12

### HOW THIS WORKS

This Bible study is a weekly tool intended to help you reflect on what God says in the Bible.

We invite you to take a few unhurried moments this week to reflect on the included passages, answer a few questions (inside), and note how these verses encourage you to pray (back).

We hope you enjoy drawing near to God through His Word (Heb. 11:6) while also preparing for Community Group.



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## **"GOD ALWAYS PATIENT"**

### **2 PETER 3:9**

The Lord is not slow to fulfill his promise as some count slowness, but is patient toward you, not wishing that any should perish, but that all should reach repentance.

### **1 CORINTHIANS 13:4**

Love is patient and kind; love does not envy or boast; it is not arrogant

### **EXODUS 34:6**

The LORD passed before him and proclaimed, "The LORD, the LORD, a God merciful and gracious, slow to anger, and abounding in steadfast love and faithfulness"

### **NEHEMIAH 9:9-17**

And you saw the affliction of our fathers in Egypt...and performed signs and wonders against Pharaoh and all his servants...And you divided the sea before them, so that they went through the midst of the sea on dry land, and you cast their pursuers into the depths...You gave them bread from heaven for their hunger and brought water for them out of the rock for their thirst...But they and our fathers acted presumptuously and stiffened their neck and did not obey your commandments...But you are a God ready to forgive, gracious and merciful, slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love, and did not forsake them.

### **COLOSSIANS 3:12-13**

Put on then, as God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, compassionate hearts, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience, bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive.



### **INTO THE WORD**

What sticks out to you in this text? What ideas or questions come to mind?

Where do you see Jesus or the gospel in these verses?



### **INTO MY LIFE**

How is God moving you to apply these verses?  
How can they impact your week?



### **INTO THE WORLD**

How do these verses help you pray for, serve, or reach out to your community this week?