

## DANIEL PINK: THE SURPRISING THEORY OF MOTIVATION

### WELCOME

(20 MINUTES)

**Highs and Lows:** *What are yours?*

**Prayer:** Try these words or your own: *God who is both within us and surpassing all that is beyond us, we continue to meet together, bringing to you and to each other our burdens and joys. Thank you for knitting us together through the sharing of our lives and the strength of your love. Amen*

### VIDEO

(20 MINUTES)

### DISCUSS

(40 MINUTES)

1. What do you want to discuss after watching the video?
2. What do you think God would want to discuss with you?

#### IF you are stuck...

*Reflections From The Community*


Many followers of Jesus focus so much on “getting to Heaven.” This turns Christianity into an “if – then” reward system.

- How can we break out of this pay for spiritual performance to do truly great things?
- How did Jesus motivate his followers, or did he?

-Ben

### CLOSE

(10 MINUTES)

**Housekeeping:** *Pick a card. Do it.*

**Prayer:**

Father, you are closer to us than our own breath.

May each breath we take deepen our awareness of your presence.

Father, you are as real as the sounds around us.

May each sound I hear deepen our awareness of your reality.

Father, you are as present and life-giving as our own hearts.

May each heartbeat we experience deepen our awareness of your presence.

Father, you embrace us as certainly as the clothes we wear.

May each sensation we feel deepen our awareness of your loving embrace.

OR

“I am as near and deep in you as the air you breathe. Fill yourself with my refreshment. Take all the air you need.”

–St. Benedict (May also sing this as a meditation if the melody is known)