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MESSAGE SUMMARY

God can bring a **new season**, but He first prepares a people and a place that can carry what He wants to release. We are challenged to move from **spectators to participants**, from **religion to relationship**, and from simply receiving blessing to becoming part of the kingdom harvest... IN JESUS NAME!

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

GOD USES ORDINARY PEOPLE

Amos wasn't a prophet by profession. He was a marketplace worker who cared for sheep and tended figs—yet God gave him a word. What situation in your life right now, challenges your ability to trust God's vision/word?

- Why do you think God chose someone like Amos to deliver His message?
- Where might you be underestimating how God can use you?
- What would change if you viewed your workplace, school, family, or community as part of your ministry field?
- What does it look like to move from **“going to church”** to **“being the church”**?

A NEW SEASON REQUIRES A NEW MINDSET

Before Amos announces, *“The days are coming,”* he spends eight chapters confronting sin, misplaced priorities, and the need for repentance. Kevin Wallace said, **“If you want a new season, some of us have got to get a new mind!”**

- Why do you think God deals with our mindset before introducing a new season?
- What mindset or habit might God be asking you to change?
- What does it mean to have **God's heart before asking for what's in God's hand**?
- Is there an area where you're asking God for a new outcome without changing your approach?

THE TABERNACLE OF DAVID: PRESENCE, PEOPLE & PRAISE

3 characteristics of David's tabernacle:





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Presence: God's presence was the priority not programs, preaching, or appearances.

People: David's tabernacle represented a place where **all people** could come.

Praise: It was saturated with worship and praise.

- Which of these three, **Presence, People, or Praise**, stands out most to you? Why?
- What can happen when a church prioritizes programs over God's presence?
- How can we help create an environment where people feel welcomed and valued?
- What does genuine praise look like when circumstances aren't going well?

FROM FISHING POLES TO FISHING NETS

One of the strongest pictures in the message is the difference between a fishing pole and a net. A pole catches selectively. A net gathers broadly. The challenge is to stop building churches around people who are already there and start reaching every culture, generation, background, and demographic.

- What does "fishing with Jesus" look like in our community?
- Are there people we naturally gravitate toward and people we rarely reach out to?
- What would it look like for our Life Group to become more intentional about reaching people who are **not currently connected to church**?

PREPARE FOR THE HARVEST

plowing → sowing → reaping → crushing

Every stage has purpose. Some seasons require hard work and patience, while others bring unexpected abundance. The promise is that God can cause seasons to overlap and produce an extraordinary harvest.

- Who "plowed" spiritually in your life before you experienced your harvest?
- What are you currently called to plow or sow, even though you can't see results yet?
- What does "God multiplies the seed you sow, not the seed you keep" mean to you?

CLOSING

Don't just wait for a new season. Prepare for it. Plow for it. Sow for it. Make room for it. Like Amos, God can use us to carry His message and presence into everyday places. He is calling us to build our lives and groups around His presence, people and praise. The harvest doesn't happen overnight. As we remain faithful, God can cause seasons to collide and bring harvest that is exceeding, expedited, and extended.





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AS A GROUP

Let's go fishing with a net! Let's commit to reaching people outside your normal circle. Take a moment to think about how to do this. Maybe it's inviting your neighbor to church. Maybe it's sharing about this Life Group with a co-worker. Share your ideas with each other.

PERSONAL FOCUS

This week, ask God, "What are You asking me to do?"

- Intentionally invest in one person this week. Encourage them, pray with them, serve them or share what God has done in your life.
- Identify one mindset, habit or distraction you need to release so you can be ready for what God is doing next.

Ask yourself, "What did I sow this week, that someone else may one day reap?"

Close in prayer 🙏

