<u>Jan 26/25 - "Amazing Grace" - Ephesians 2:1-10</u> (Small Group Questions)

- 1. This passage essentially tells a 'rags to riches' story. What do you think Paul means when he says "You were dead in the trespasses and sins"? Can you identify with that personally? Explain why or why not.
- 2. Karen mentioned the concept of 'prevenient grace' in her sermon grace that goes before and paves the way for a person to be able to respond to God. Is this a new thought for you? Have you seen what you would call prevenient grace in action? What did that look like?
- 3. What does it mean to be 'seated in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus'?
- 4. Verse 8 says that we have been saved by grace through faith, and this is not our own doing; it is the gift of God. This is good news. So why is it so hard for us to accept it?
- 5. Being saved is a gift, not a result of works. But we are created in Christ Jesus for good works. How do you understand this?