"The Church That Was Missing The Main Thing" Revelation 2:1-7

Welcome to Ephesus:
A Great
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Jesus' Letter to a Flagship Church - Revelation 2:1-7
What Jesus says is going well at Ephesus:
1. Deeds 2 3. Perseverance 4 5. Doctrine 6 7. Avoiding the
A huge area of concern:
They had left the
Options: 1. Love for
Love for Or Love for God love for people.
An action plan for improvement
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The Promise:

Small Group

- What is something that challenged or encouraged you in this weekend's message?
- The Ephesians did a lot of things well, but they lacked love. Why do you think it's common for people to think it's okay to not be as loving as we should be if we have good deeds or other things to be proud of?
- The Ephesians stopped loving like they used to in the beginning. In your life and relationship with God, is there anything good you used to do that you don't do as much anymore? Why do you think that is?
- What did your original love for Christ look like and feel like? Go back and remember.
- Compare and contrast that original love for Christ with your current relationship with Christ.
- What observations would you make? Are there places where you have taken a wrong turn or have things in the wrong order?
- What do you need to do to return to the nature of those original works that flowed from your first connection with Christ and love for Christ?
- How do you keep the passion and enthusiasm alive in your life for following Jesus?
- If Jesus were to write you a letter telling you to turn back to the way you started, what would be in that letter?