## Safe In Love



1 John 4:7-21

- 1. What insight, observation, or question do you have from this week's reading plan?
- 2. What insight, principle or observation from this week's message did you find to be most helpful, eye opening or troubling? Please explain.
- 3. Perfect Love Drives out fear. How is that true? Is this true of earthly relationships?
- 4. Read 1 John 4:7-21. What do you learn about God's love? When did God love us?
- 5. Have you ever felt like God will love you when...? Why do you think it is hard for us to really accept that God loves us, as we are, right now?
- 6. How does God's love for us affect our love of others? If it is true that the image of God is on others, and they too are stamped by love, what does that change in how we view and treat them?
- 7. How have you seen sin cause people to isolate, and create fear (of punishment, shame, condemnation)?
- 8. Living in God is living in love, which leads to the dismissal of fear. What do you fear, and how would living in God's love drive that fear away?
- 9. Pray together.