



Built to Last, Week 2

In David's last teaching series as senior pastor, we'll look back over his previous three decades of ministry at LCBC and what we can learn about living a life of enduring purpose.

Conversation Starter: *Have some fun as you break the ice.*

- What is your all time-favorite song?
- What would you choose if you could only listen to one genre of music for the rest of your life

Key Scriptures: *Let God's word frame the conversation. Take a minute to read this selected passage together as a Group.*

- Psalm 111:1, Psalm 147:1; Isaiah 43:21; Revelation 19:1

Discussion Questions: *Pick a few questions below to guide your time.*

Starting Sharing: *Choose a question or two to create openness.*

- What have been some meaningful worship songs on your journey?
- Is singing to God something you are comfortable with? Why or why not?
- How has the music impacted you at LCBC or other churches?

Start Thinking: *Choose a question or two to think critically about the subject.*

- What difference does the right environment make in opening people up to worship more freely?
- How can using songs familiar to those outside the church build a bridge to sharing God's truth?
- Why can joining others in worship help deepen our relationship with God and encourage those around us?

Make it Personal: *Choose a question or two to help you identify your best next step.*

- How has worship music personally helped shape your understanding of God?
- When do you feel most connected to Jesus? Through song, Bible reading, activity, etc.?
- What attribute of God are you most thankful for in this season of your life?

Next Steps: *Everybody has a next step. Check out some ideas below to help you grow by doing.*

- **Follow Jesus-** Don't stop at knowing what Jesus says; instead, do what Jesus instructs as we allow him to be the leader of our lives.
- **Pray-** Pray for David and Ruth as they end this season of leadership at LCBC. Ask God to give us a renewed passion for our mission and unity as a church.

Prayer: *Invite God to do what only He can do!*

Heavenly Father, thank you for the gift of music. Please help us be people who worship you with not just words but actions. So may our entire lives be acts of worship to our worthy King Jesus. Amen.