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The Bible reveals God's Plan
For God in all his fullness was pleased to live in Christ, and through him God reconciled everything to himself. He made peace with everything in heaven and on earth by means of Christ's blood on the cross. Colossians 1:19-20 NLT
The Bible is
Then Jesus took them through the writings of Moses and all the prophets, explaining from all the Scriptures the things concerning himself. Luke 24:27 NLT
The Bible is to be understood and applied
Jesus
But these are written so that you may continue to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that by believing in him you will have life by the power of his name. John 20:31 NLT
The Bible is and useful,
inspired by Him
All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. 2 Timothy 3:16-17 NIV

Yes, I hate them with total hatred, for your enemies are my enemies. Psalm 139:22 NLT

The Bible is an invitation \_\_\_\_\_

## **Questions for Groups**

- How do you describe what the Bible is?
- What is the best way to interpret Scripture?
- Read this Easter story: Luke 24:13-35.
- According to verse 27, what role does Scripture play?
- What can we expect to happen in our lives when we read and listen to Scripture?
- Pray together!