

## 04/16/2023 "Couple Bubble"

- 1. What are or have been some of your most meaningful relationships?
- 2. What made those relationships so meaningful or successful?
- 3. Take a moment to talk about one of the concepts that stood out to you from Sunday's message. What made it stand out? Which one would you like more info on?
  - Read John 21:15-17. Scholars have long interpreted these verses as Jesus offering forgiveness and healing to Peter. It's an emotional scene given what happened in John 18:15-18, 25-27.
- 4. How does this story communicate the depth of Jesus' love for Peter?
- 5. In what way does Jesus' approach to Peter's betrayal create a safe environment?
- 6. In a relationship, what things tend to communicate an unsafe environment? Which ones are a trigger for you?
- 7. Read Ephesians 4:31-5:2. What would change in your relationships if you could live out these verses more fully?
- 8. Are there negative images of Christianity that communicate a lack of safety with God? How does a healthy understanding of Jesus' character and mission adjust these poor images?
- 9. How do you think Jesus helps us with creating a safe place where relationships can thrive?
- 10. How can you get better connected this week to the unconditional and secure love of God?