



AWAKENING TO REGRET

"I wish I could start over."

Connect:

- What do you do all week when you're not here or at church (job, school, raising kids)? What do you wish could be different about what you do?

Grow:

- Read Luke 15:17-21
- In verses 17-19, what words and phrases describe what "repentance" is for this young man? Define repentance in light of this story.
- What does it mean that he "came to his senses"?
- What action does the prodigal son take as a result of coming to his senses? What does that look like for us?
- When, if ever, have you felt like the son did when he decided to go home (lost/poor/desperate/hopeless/broken/alone)?
- In what area of your life do you wish you could have a "do-over" right now? What is holding you back?

Go:

- If you are ready for a change that will bring you closer to God what's the next step?
- Continue to pray this simple prayer everyday: **"God, today make Yourself real to me. Awaken in me the possibility that with you I can start over again."**
- Keep holding each other accountable as a group for this daily prayer.