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Break the Ice

-Have you ever believed something that later turned out to be fake, a lie, or not the complete story?

Up

- -Read Esther 4:1-17. What stands out, confuses, or challenges you from this passage or the message?
- -Who has been a "Mordecai" in your life—someone who spoke truth and reminded you of your purpose?
- -Why do you think God uses other people as part of His strategy to help us in spiritual battles?

<u>In</u>

- -How has isolation been part of your story? Have there been lies that you have believed (like Esther) that have impacted your perspective?
- -When you hear the phrase "for such a time as this," what area of your life comes to mind?

Out

- -What has been your experience with the practice of prayer?
- -Which of the three actions steps do you feel most compelled to step into this week?
 -Speak truth to a lie, engage a need, unite in prayer

<u>Prayer</u>

-Spend time praying as a group for God to use each other to care and protect one another from the enemy and isolation.