## The Rhythm of Rest

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**Resource:** "The Common Rule" by Justin Whitmel Harley

Your life is a gift from God. God wants you to enjoy his good gift.

**Question:** How would you describe the enjoyment of the life that God gave you?

**Read** 1 Timothy 6:17

If you're not enjoying life the way God intends maybe your life is out of rhythm.

**Resource:** "Rhythms of Renewal" by Rebekah Lyons

- Rest and Restore are "input rhythms"
- Connect and Create are "output rhythms"

You are supposed to get tired.

**Question:** Besides chronic fatigue, how have you viewed "getting tired"?

**Read** Psalm 139:13–14

In the Bible, it's not just that you have a body, you are a body.

Sam Allberry

**Read** Genesis 2:7; 1 Thessalonians 5:23

We need to embrace the gift of our limits.

Pete Scazzero

Read Psalm 90:12; Genesis 3:19

Getting tired reminds us that we are NOT God. When we embrace our physical limits, we find rest.

We are restless when we rest less.

Rebekah Lyons

Read Psalm 3:5; Psalm 127:2

**Questions:** Do you think there will there be sleep in heaven? Why or why not?

## **Questions to put you to sleep:**

- Am I living at a sustainable pace?
- Is technology exhausting me?

Our inability to control our use of technology is making us sicker, more anxious, and more distraught than ever before.

Carey Nieuwhof

- Am I caring for my body?
- Do I intentionally take time to worship and rest?

**Read** Isaiah 40:28–31

