**God at work part 2 – Work Satisfaction is a Gift of God**

 **Ecclesiastes 2:24-26; 3:12,13 Leader Notes**

**HOOK**

**1. What’s the worst job you’ve ever worked?**

**2. What would be your dream job?**

**3. Which of your basic needs are met through your work: Food, clothing and shelter; safety; love/belonging; self-esteem; self-actualization?**

**BOOK/LOOK**

**Read Ecclesiastes 2:24-26**

**What kind of meaning does work have in your life?**

**Why does the author talk about meaning, but then repeat the phrase “meaningless”?**

**Ecc. 3:12-14 What are the limits to what work can provide?** (work can’t provide ultimate meaning)

**Agree or disagree: the best moments of our life happen at work when we are experiencing “flow.” What’s an example when you were in the “flow” at work?**

**Would you agree to a less meaningful job if it paid a lot more?**

**Does work retirement change the level of meaning we experience in life?**

**Read Eccl. 5:18-20**

**What are you most thankful for about your job?**

**Do you have time in life to reflect, or are you usually too busy?**

**TOOK**

**Where is Jesus already at work in the lives and community of those you work with?**

**How does the work you do communicate something about who God is?**

**Who do you know that’s in need of a job? How can we pray for them?**