## Before Small Group read Genesis 1

Fellowship time 7:00-7:30

Open in Prayer

Praise through song

Scripture Reading Together: Genesis 1:26-28

Opening remarks...

1. Thinking about real-world examples, why is straying from 'the original design' like *the Vasa* such a dangerous idea? What other contemporary examples can you use to relate?

2. Why is it so important when talking about identity to **1**) consider the sin we find is acceptable is NOT (Jeremiah 17:9) and **2**) remember how to respond to those who react to our position on identity and sin in general (Matt. 5:42-45).

3. Compare Genesis 3:1 with Matthew 4:3. How did Jesus' example in verse 10 show us the authority and identity God intended us to have?

4. In your break-out consider what sin in your life needs to stay on the 'bottom of the ocean'?

8:20pm Prayer (close group session) and get into breakout time (guys and gals separate)

Wrap up 8:50ish