



## LIFELINE Discussion Guide

Week of January 23, 2023

1. Read Psalm 139:13-18. As David reflects and writes on all that God knows, the word “You” or “Your” is used 4 times in verses 13-14. Who is in focus here?
2. What does it mean that people are “*fearfully and wonderfully made*”? Can you give a few examples of the intricacy, beauty, and complexity of the human body?
3. Many secular women (and abortion advocates) say that a woman is in charge of her own womb. She claims to have final authority. But what is the truth of verse 15? Who has the ultimate creative power? Is the woman a Creator, or just a creature?
4. Pastor Ryan explained that the phrase “*...lowest parts of the earth*” is a poetic phrase. When we were being formed in the womb, we were totally unseen, just as if we were made in the deepest recesses of the earth. Why is it so amazing that God has made us in the dark? Could you sew a button or wire a light fixture in total darkness?
5. Read Job 14:5. What does the Bible say about God’s knowledge of the days and details of our lives?
6. Your friend Robin is a new Christian. She came to know Jesus about six months ago. She is really struggling with an abortion that happened in her life 3 years earlier. She is battling terrible guilt and mental anguish over that decision. What good, biblical counsel would you give to her about the way forward? \*\*Hint: abortion is not the unforgivable sin. \*\*
7. What are some tangible, specific ways you can become a champion for life in 2023? Have your group make a list of at least 10 items.

*Take a few moments to pray for the pro-life cause and that God would continue to captivate hearts, minds, and consciences about the truth of abortion—and the value of all human life.*