

**WELCOME HOME**  
“Longing for a Home”  
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**Luke 15:11-32 (ESV)**

### **A CHURCH “HOME” WE LONG FOR...**

1. A **safe place** – a place that is absent of threats, thus, a place of security and true rest.
2. A place to be our **true selves** – a place of authenticity about who we are, what we do, or what we believe.
3. A place to be perfectly **loved and accepted** – a place where people are happy to see us despite our imperfections.

### **KEY QUESTION:**

Do you have friends who need a **different experience of church** in order to consider faith again?

### **2017 THEME OF YNCC**

#### **Welcome Home!**

We yearn for YNCC to be a safe place where anyone can come and be their true selves, and be perfectly loved and accepted, as they take steps towards Jesus.

#### **CENTRAL TRUTH**

The beautiful qualities of a home we long for reflect the kind of relationship God invites us to have with him.