



CHURCH, HOME, AND COMMUNITY

Holistic Discipleship with Children



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Where do you think this child's
faith is most shaped during the
week?

Deuteronomy 6:6-7

These commandments that I give you today are to be on your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.

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What is one way children
participate in church life in your
context?

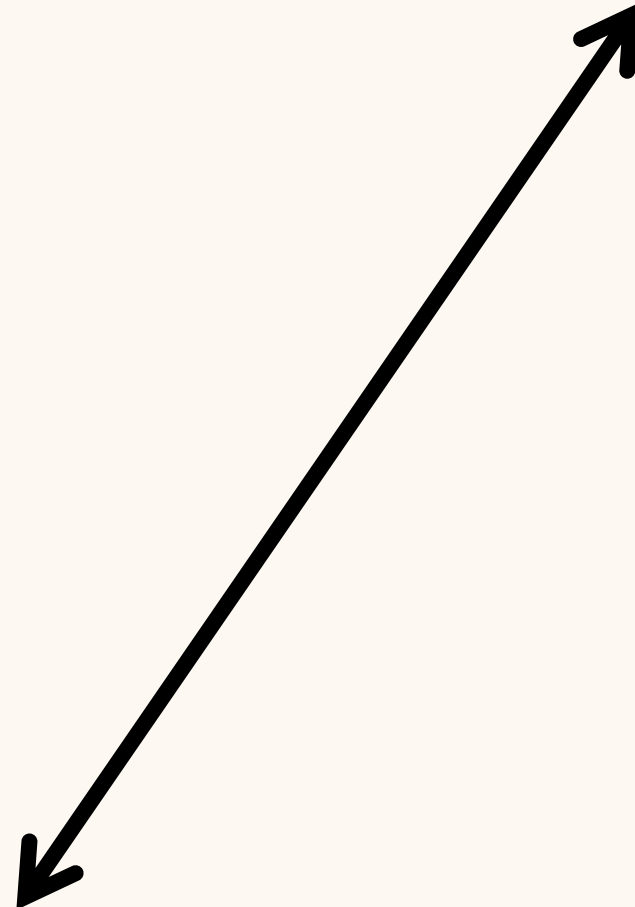
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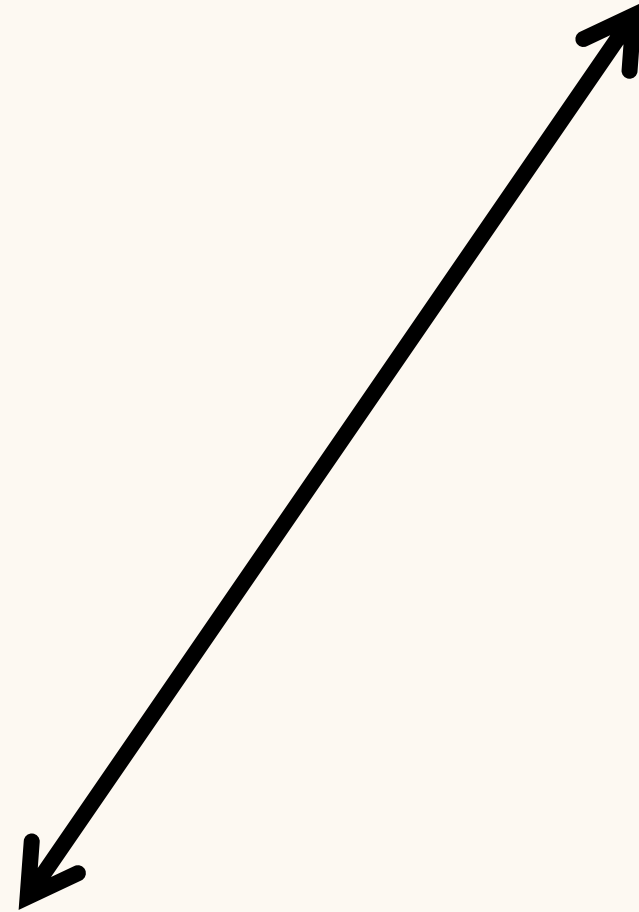


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One assumptions our church might
have about faith at home

One way home life reality might look
different than our assumption

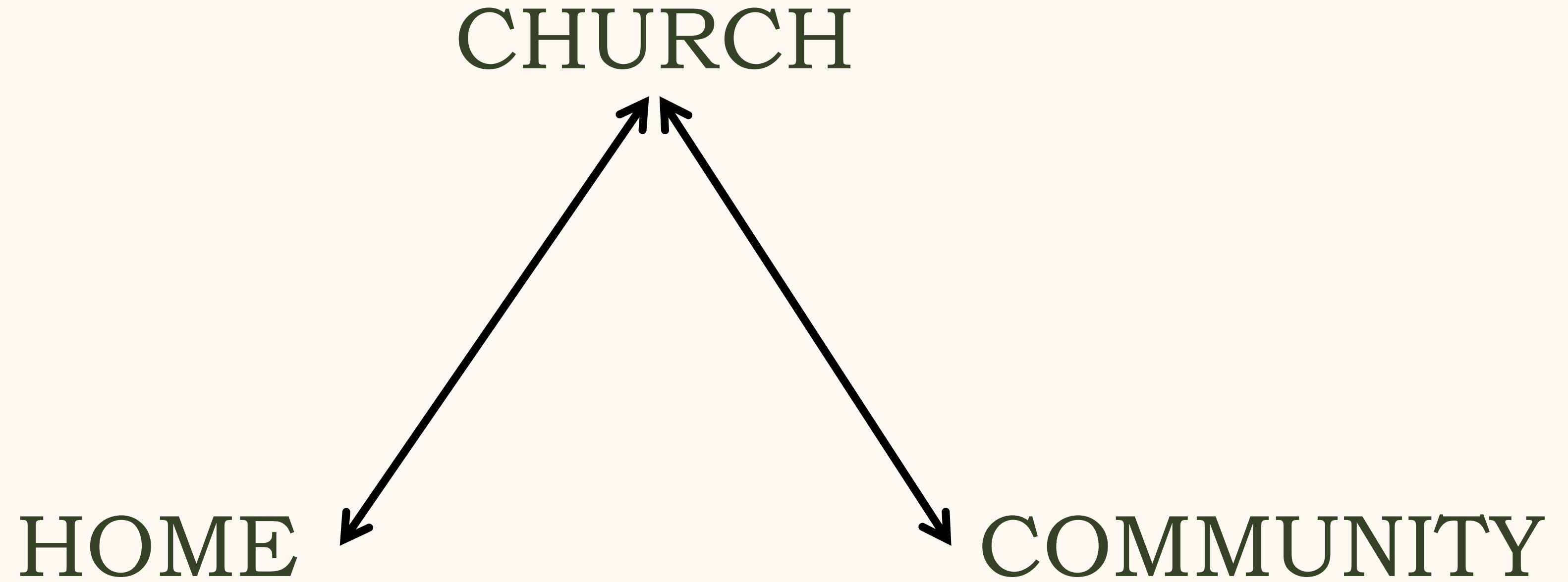
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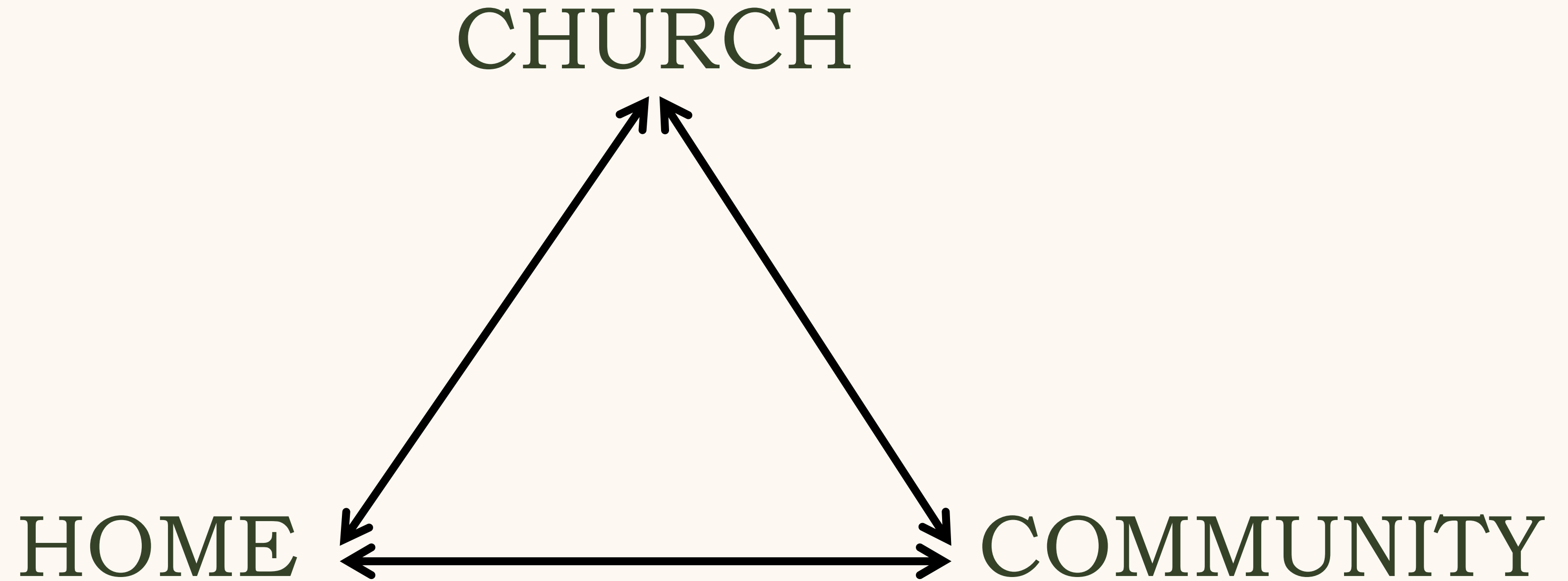
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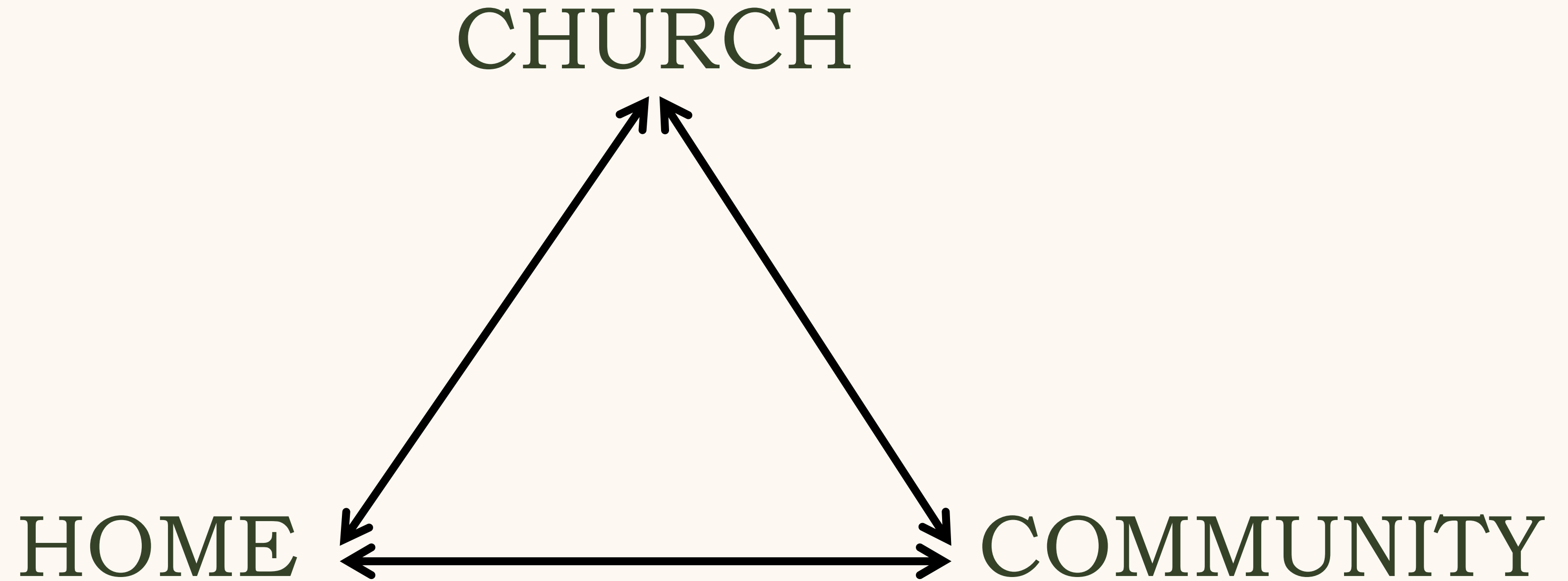
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How might the places children spend
time during the week — school,
sport, friendships — shape their
faith?

If Sunday gatherings didn't exist for a while, where do you think children in your church would still encounter faith?



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On your diagram, note down:

- What is happening in each space in your context?
- Where you see connections between them?

In groups compare what you noticed:

- Which space receives the most energy in your church?
- Which space probably has the most influence on children?
- Where do you see strong connections?
- Where are the gaps or weak connections?





What is the most surprising thing you noticed
when you mapped this?

What connections are strong?
What connections are missing?

