

LG DISCUSSION LIFEGROUPS GUIDE

Use these questions in your Life Group gatherings or for further discussion as a family.

TWO IMPORTANT QUESTIONS | SEPTEMBER 18, 2022

SERMON RECAP | Matthew 24:1-3

Seeking understanding is a sign of a growing faith. Understanding gives us confidence to face the times with hope, not fear.

THE LEAD IN

- What are your emotions about the return of Christ? Are you fearful? Anxious? Confused? Hopeful? Eager? Etc. What are your reasons behind those emotions?

GETTING INTO THE TEXT

- Read Matthew 22:15-45. Look at how the various groups asked Jesus questions and how he responded. Then Jesus asks a question of them. After this round of questions and answers, why did no one dare ask Jesus questions from that point on?
- In our main text, Matthew 24:1-3, the disciples come to Jesus with a question after all this has happened. How is their question to Jesus different in tone and approach compared with how the religious leaders questioned Jesus?

GOING DEEPER

- Seeking understanding means asking questions. How can we appropriately ask questions of God without being questioning of him and his sovereignty?
- What questions do you have about Jesus' return? Are there questions that you are afraid to ask that hold you back from waiting with hope and joy?

PRAYER

- Pray for understanding for yourselves and for each other. Jesus welcomes our questions, but we must be wise in how we ask questions, not to trap or accuse, but to seek truth.