LIFEGROUPS DISCUSSION

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

GLORIOUS HUMILITY | DECEMBER 18, 2022

SERMON RECAP | Philippians 2:5-8

Christ's life was marked by humility and a value of others. We are called to be on a journey of being like-minded with Christ as we behold him.

THE LEAD IN

• Who is the humblest person you know? How do you see them live out humility?

GETTING INTO THE TEXT

- Read Philippians 2:5-8. Discuss what it meant for Christ to humble himself by becoming a man and by dying a sacrificial death. Then read verses 9-11. What did his actions ultimately accomplish?
- Isaiah 66:2b says, "These are the ones I look on with favor: those who are humble and contrite in spirit, and who tremble at my word." How does "beholding" him help us become more like the ones described in this verse?

GOING DEEPER

- Humility isn't a natural human tendency. How can we use the example of Christ (re-read Philippians 2:5-11 again if necessary) to live humbly and elevate others above ourselves? Why should we value others more than ourselves?
- We've seen the picture of the humility of Christ. Does this line up with your view of God? How can we reconcile his humility with his jealousy, exclusivity, wrath, and justice?

PRAYER

• Pray for the desire to behold him, gaze upon him, and be captivated by him. Pray that you would be ever growing in your knowledge of him, learning to think like him, and emboldened to live for him.