

The Good Doctor-HOPEFUL HEALING FOR ALL ~

LUKE 12:13-34 NOVEMBER 24, 2019

Wealth Warps- Walk free by keeping in step w/ the Spirit

Matthew 7:25; 28:20; James 5:1-5

Worry Warps- Walk free by keeping in step w/ the Spirit

Philippians 4:6-7; 1 Peter 5:6-7; Romans 8:31-32

"We are secure not because we hold tightly to Jesus, but because He holds tightly to us." ~R.C. Sproul

*NEXT WEEK: Luke 12:35-48

Questions for the Community

Personal Reflection

- God I am coveting the following_____. God I am worried about the following____. I know it's wrong and harmful to my relationship with You and the people in my life. Help me see it for what it is and steer clear of all greed and worry THIS DAY.
- 2. How have you seen wealth and worry warp things in your own life and those around you? Do you struggle more w/ greed or worry?

Group Discussion

- 3. Discuss your plan of action from last week. What is one step that you took (no matter how small) to heed the warnings of Jesus found in "The Don't List"? (Don't: fake, fear, deny, worry)
- 4. When does planning, guarding, strategizing and thinking turn into greed or worry (IE retirement savings, storage units)? What safeguards keep you from justifying yourself?
- 5. How wealthy, loving and trustworthy is the God you worship? Now answer that based solely on your decisions, spending, body language and prayer life. Is there a discrepancy between what you say you believe and how you live?
- 6. Disciples live a life of trust not worry. Every place you are prone and tempted to worry is THE place God is inviting you to trust Him. What areas of life have you accepted the invitation to trust and what areas remain hard for you to trust?

Plan of Action

- 7. Schedule time this week to worship and wonder through a field trip. Simply walk through a field and observe the flora and fauna! God wants to give you the other half of the classroom lesson by seeing it in real life. Take time to write down a) what you experienced b) something you are thankful for.
- 8. Sell one item this week and give the money away to a person. Note all that God does in you through this one transaction.
- 9. Pray the Lord's Prayer out loud every day for one week.