

Living Worry Free in God's Kingdom

Matthew 6:19-34

PODS Small Group Discussion Questions

1. Do you agree that we live in an age of anxiety? If not, why not? If so, what are some examples that make you think so?
2. What stood out to you, challenged you, or encouraged you from the sermon Sunday?
3. Jesus tells us not to treasure material possessions. How can we better align our priorities with God's eternal values?
4. Worry is a big deal because it says that I care more than God, I'm more powerful than God, and I know better than God. How does Jesus challenge and give comfort related to each of these lies?
5. How might recognizing our relationships with God, His Word and others as heavenly treasures which last forever change our priorities or behavior?
6. What does it mean to seek first God's kingdom and His righteousness, and how can you apply this in your daily routine?
7. Corrie ten Boom said, "Worry doesn't empty tomorrow of its sorrow; it empties today of its strength." How can shifting your focus from worry to faith empower your today?
8. Share a recent experience where you turned worry into worship or prayer. How did it affect your perspective?
9. What are some ways you can help others reduce anxiety and worry through your words and actions?
10. How can developing a daily habit of prayer and trusting God's promises help eliminate worry from your life?