

Living a Counter Culture Life – Beatitudes

Small Group Discussion Questions

1. How does the Sermon on the Mount challenge the values of our culture today?

Key Verse: Matthew 5:1-12

2. What does it practically look like to be “poor in spirit” in your workplace, school, or home?

Key Verse: Matthew 5:3

3. How is mourning over sin different from feeling bad about getting caught?

Key Verse: 2 Corinthians 7:10

4. What do people in our culture most “hunger and thirst” for, and how does that compare to hungering for righteousness?

Key Verse: Matthew 5:6

5. How does remembering God’s mercy toward us help us show mercy to others?

Key Verse: Luke 6:36

6. What does it mean to serve God with “pure motives” in our current culture?

Key Verse: Psalm 24:3-4

7. What does it look like to actively pursue peace in your family, church, or community?

Key Verse: Romans 12:18

8. How does having an eternal perspective help us endure hardship here on earth?

Key Verse: 2 Corinthians 4:17-18
