

### SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

- When Jesus begins talking about judgment in this passage, who is he talking to and talking about? Is he talking about judging other believers or non-believers and how do you know? Why is this important?
- The first verse (“Judge not, that you be not judged.”) is one of the most well-known and oft-quoted Bible verses by unbelievers. Yet, Jesus says in the next verse that we (Christians) will judge (“For with the judgment you pronounce...”). Why is it important that we judge one another? What qualifications or limits is Jesus putting on that judgment in the rest of the passage?
- In light of the debate surrounding coronavirus (even here at Calvary!), how have you judged your brothers or sisters in Christ? Has it been according to this passage? Is there anything you need to do this week to confess, forgive, and reconcile with anyone at our church or in your family?
- How has God used this sermon/passage of Scripture to change your mind and heart with regard to “judging others”? Take some time as an individual or as a group to pray for our church’s unity and reconciliation this week.

## NEW KINGDOM LIVING

JESUS' LIFE IN OURS

### FAMILY QUESTIONS

- What does it mean to see a “log” in your own eye before seeing the “speck” in another Christian’s eye?
- Is Jesus saying we should never judge other people? Is he talking about Christians or non-Christians? How do you know? Why would we treat groups of people (i.e., believers and unbelievers) different with regard to judgment?
- What is one “log” in your eye that you’d like to confess before your family today? Ask God, and your family, to help you this week with that log. Pray for our church, that we would all pray for our own logs this week.

### WEEKLY PRAYER

- Our Men & Women in Uniform
- Allison Lucht, Ethnos360 Philippines
- Scott Howells, Elder
- Janet Lashbrook, Hospitality & Assimilation
- AWANA
- Fox Valley Bible Chapel, Little Chute
- Pray for those who do not yet have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus. (Colossians 4:2-4)

### CROSS REFERENCES

- Matthew 6:22-23
- Luke 6:37-38
- John 8:1-11
- 1 Corinthians 5:9-13; 11:27-32
- James 4:11-12
- 1 Peter 4:16-17

### SCRIPTURE MEMORY

“For it is time for judgment to begin at the household of God; and if it begins with us, what will be the outcome for those who do not obey the gospel of God?”  
1 Peter 4:17 (ESV)

### WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

Judge of the Secrets  
<https://youtu.be/nrW90vO9glA>  
His Mercy Is More  
<https://youtu.be/ijsjA5Yf8XA>