



Weekly Sermon Based Discussion Questions

May 10, 2026

DIGGING DEEPER:

1. Answering this question may make you feel vulnerable, but please be honest as you answer. The widow grieved publicly and loudly for everyone to see, but what burden, need, or grief do you carry silently so no one sees?

Is it fair to say, “the church doesn’t care” when we never really share?

2. Have you ever felt yourself giving up on the belief that Jesus sees you?

What has happened or what does happen that assures you that He does?

3. What chaos or noise in your life makes it so that you’re “following” along behind Jesus, but if you were honest you feel distant from Jesus?

4. The funeral procession represented a point of no return. Everyone there had accepted the situation as irreversible—except Jesus. What have you emotionally buried, accepted as hopeless, or stopped praying about because disappointment has convinced you resurrection is no longer possible?

5. Jesus walked uphill for 30 miles, over the course of 10 hours, just to reach this widow. Can we be like Jesus if we fail to go out of our way to reach people who need Him?

How does American culture confine us to moving through life living our own lives and not really involving ourselves in other people’s pain?

6. What are some practical ways we can make sure that people who “try” church in hopes of being seen, don’t leave feeling unwanted and invisible?

What simple changes could you make this week to give some of your time to the people you don’t know instead of focusing only on the people you do know?

7. What does “Always reaching your one more” mean to you?