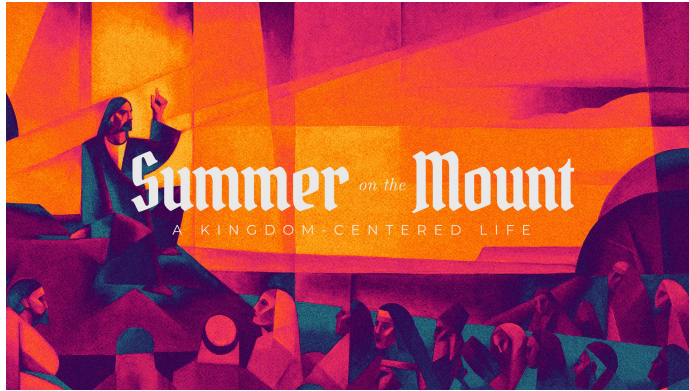




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Group Discussion Questions

Getting Started

Take some time to catch up and connect as a group. Pray before discussion.
Expect God to move through your time together!

Pacing Your Group

Move quickly through “observation” leaving enough time for “reflection”, “discussion”, and “surrender.”

Scripture Reading

Re-read the scripture passages as needed when you discuss the questions.

Observation: *What does the scripture say?*

Read Matthew 7:1-6

1. Jesus tells us not to judge others. What does he mean by “judge?”
2. What does Jesus say can make us a hypocrite?
3. Does Jesus tell us never to confront sin?
4. Verse 6 can be confusing. What do you think Jesus is saying?

Reflection and Discussion: *What are some first thoughts? How do the scriptures connect to everyday life?*

5. When are you most likely to judge someone?
6. What is the difference between discernment and judging?
7. Can we discern without judging?
8. When should we confront sin?
9. How much do our motives matter when confronting sin in others?
10. What dangers do we face when confronting others?

Application: *What is God saying to you?*

11. What is one thing God is saying to you through this study and discussion?

**** Take some time to pray for one another in response to what has been discussed today ****