

Family Discipleship

Big Idea: Jesus teaches us to gather treasure in heaven, not on the earth.

Connect in Conversation

Read Matthew 6:19-34

- Where should we store up our treasures?
- What does God say we should not spend our time worrying about?
- In verse 33, what is the only thing we should focus on?

Memory Verse

John 12:46 NLT

I have come as a light to shine in this dark world, so that all who put their trust in me will no longer remain in the dark.

Prayer

Praise: What is something you love about Who God Is?

Thanksgiving: What is something you are thankful for this week?

Pray for Others: Are there others that need prayer?

Confession: Is there anything in your heart that needs cleaning out?

Requests: What needs prayer?

Creating Space

Younger kids: Have the younger kids go on a treasure hunt! The treasure at the end could be a treat or a list of things we should treasure in heaven [prayer, relationship with Jesus, becoming like Jesus, obeying the words of the Bible, fruits of the spirit]. Sit down and talk about some of those things we can start doing now! Are we focused on heavenly things or on things of this earth?

Older kids: Have the kids journal or take note of things they are worried about or focused on this week. Find some time to sit and discuss, what daily things worried you or consumed your thoughts? Were they things of this world or things of heaven?