

GOAL OF SMALL GROUPS: Create the type of environment where every student is...

- KNOWN
- MET WHERE THEY ARE
- Invited to recklessly and courageously FOLLOW JESUS

Over the course of this series, we want to help each student discover how the Kingdom of God impacts them personally every day and to guide them towards spending time with God every day. Below are Small Group Questions and some things to help students do on their own this week.

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

<u>Bible Verses:</u> Psalm 119:9-11; Proverbs 20:9; Matthew 5:3; Romans 3:19; Hebrews 10:19-22; 1 John 1:9

- 1. In this week's video, Brad talked about purity being something that has not been contaminated. How do you see a picture of that in what we've experienced with COVID-19 and social distancing?
- 2. When it comes to purity according to God's standards, do you typically view yourself as pure or impure? Explain.
- 3. Why is purity impossible on our own? What is that realization so important in order to actually discover the cure for our sin?
- 4. Read Hebrews 10:19-22 together. What do these verses say about how purity becomes ours?

ON YOUR OWN *Things to do this week in your time with God

- 1. Read a different verse each day this week and write down what they say about purity:
 - a. Romans 3:19

c. Philippians 1:10

b. Matthew 5:8

- d. 1 John 3:1-3
- 2. Think about this thought: purity was impossible while living in our own kingdom with ourselves on the throne, because we are corrupted by our sinful nature. But, when we become part of God's Kingdom with God on the throne, we become pure in God's sight through what Jesus has done for us. Write down what this means to you and why it's so important to live each day as part of God's Kingdom and not your own.
- 3. Read 1 John 1:9.
 - Why is confessing sin so important if God has made us pure? Spend a few minutes confessing any sin in your heart and life.