

Sermon-based Growth Group Questions
“Treasures of the Heart”
Matthew 6:16-24
March 10, 2024

Introductory Discussion: What from the sermon did you find most helpful, or eye-opening, or challenging?

1. How much is Jesus consciously a part of your daily life?
2. What is the spiritual purpose of fasting?
 - a. Why is that purpose lost if you want others to know you are fasting?
3. What are some specific reasons someone might fast?
 - a. What is the message in replacing food with prayer?
4. What is the connection between fasting and what Jesus says about treasures starting in verse 19?
5. What things do you have in your life that it would really hurt you to lose?
 - a. How can you tell when something of this world is too important to you?
 - b. How can you ensure that God is more important?
6. In verse 22, what does it mean to have a healthy eye?
 - a. What is a bad (evil) eye?
 - b. How does your viewpoint (presuppositions, what you already know, or think you know) affect how you understand what happens in your life?
 - c. How do we make our eye “healthy?”

7. What are the other masters that ask us to serve them?

- a. Who is the hypocrite's master?
- b. How do we make God our master?
- c. How would we live differently if God was truly our master in all things?