



HUMBLE & HUNGRY

WEEK 4

May 16 & 17

Grace is What You Do With It

This sermon study is designed to be used the week after the sermon it supplements. Before you use the study with your life group, it might be helpful to work through the questions on your own before your group meets. The purpose of this guide is to help facilitate discussion and to help your group, collectively and individually, grow closer to Jesus.

As a note: If you have questions related to Humble & Hungry, please feel free to submit them to humbleandhungry@tpcc.org. Our pastors or staff are available to help answer any questions you may have.

SERIES OVERVIEW

Humble & Hungry is about multiplying disciples and reaching those who are disconnected from Jesus and His Church. It's a core value for us as a church—we humbly respond to the gospel of grace, and we're hungry because we're called to the Great Commission set in place by Jesus (Matthew 28).

MAIN TEXT

Luke 19:1-27

GETTING STARTED

What are you looking forward to most about this summer?

DIGGING DEEPER

1. Read Luke 19:1-27 out loud as a group. Why were the people grumbling when they saw Jesus call Zacchaeus down from the tree? What was the response of Zacchaeus?
2. The story of Zacchaeus teaches us that when we are the recipients of grace, we must do something with it. It forces us to change. Share something that drastically changed in your life once you accepted Jesus and His grace.

3. This weekend, we were reminded that God's grace is for anyone. Have you ever thought that someone was beyond His grace? What sin(s) from your past has God rescued you from? How does looking back on our past help us to understand this truth?
4. Through the Humble & Hungry series, has your attitude toward multisite changed at all? What excites you about it? What are you nervous about (regarding multisite) that you can trust God with today?
5. How does the parable of the ten minas apply to our lives now? What can we learn from each of the three servants? Which one do you relate to most?
6. Fear of losing what we think is ours leads to a distorted view of Jesus and to stockpiling our resources. Is this evident in your life? If you lost everything today, would your view of Jesus change?

NEXT STEPS

This passage in Luke teaches us that God's grace requires a return on investment. Partner up and discuss these questions:

- What are you doing with the King's investment?
- Are you afraid to use what He has given you? If so, why?
- Does Jesus' return excite you because of the profit you will have to show Him?

Pray for God to reveal how He wants you to use everything that He has given you (your family, friendships, strengths, talents, gifts, treasure, etc.). Pray also for our pastor, Aaron, and his summer sabbatical, that it would be a refreshing and encouraging time for him and his family.

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