



Life Group Discussion Guide

November 3 – 2 Corinthians 8:1-15 --- My Heart!

Icebreaker:

For those who have gone to Legacy Banquet before, what's been your favorite part? What has been encouraging or helpful to you?

Discussion Questions:

1. Jamie said that to advance the kingdom of God, our hearts must first be fully surrendered to Christ.
 - a. What do we often assume comes first instead?
 - b. Are we more concerned with the mechanics of expanding the Kingdom? Something else?
 - c. How does **1 Samuel 16:7** help us understand what God is most concerned with?
2. Paparazzi are hired to expose. They follow celebrities and politicians and leaders around hoping to find something that will expose the true person. They make money off doing so.
 - a. None of us have paparazzi following us around, so how does God expose our true hearts to us?
 - b. Are we open to His revealing of these things or do we attempt to duck (like many celebrities) His attempts to reveal?
3. How often do you distrust your own self? Do you believe every thought you think? Every feeling you feel? How do we begin to live a life that questions our own hearts and minds?
4. How is the exposure God offers different from the exposure of the world? When He shows us our blind spots and reveals our secret sins, how does healing come rather than shame alone? Have you experienced this already?
5. Read **2 Corinthians 12:9**.
 - a. How does God expose His grace and power when our weakness is exposed?
 - b. If we know this to be true, why do we still keep trying to shield others (and even our own selves) from seeing our weakness?

6. What do you think God would do if we, as a church began to collectively pray that God would test the sincerity of our love? What some specific things that could happen relationally, spiritually, financially, etc? Paul tells us that God wants to do more than we could imagine, so let's imagine for a moment what God might do if we followed through with people and commitments with all sincerity.

What's Happening in the Life of Legacy:

More details on these events can be found at lcc.org/whats-happening

All Campus

- **International Conference on Missions:** Nov. 14 – 16. Onsite or Online. Register for free!
- **Legacy's Annual Banquet:** Nov. 17 at 5:00 pm. Overland Park Convention Center.
- **Night of Prayer:** Dec. 9 at 6:30 pm at your local campus.
- **Young Adult New Year's Eve Night of Worship:** Dec 31, 8:00 pm – 12:00 am. OP Campus.

Overland Park Campus

- **Women's Brunch & Bottle Painting:** Nov. 9 at 9:00 am. Cost \$8.
- **Men's Breakfast:** Nov. 23 at 8:00 am. Cost \$5.

Lee's Summit Campus

- **Practicing the Way Weekend:** Nov. 1-2 OR Nov 8-9.
- **Women's Breakfast:** Nov. 9 at 8:00 am. First Watch.
- **Back Snacks:** Ongoing food insecurity ministry for a LS middle school.

Olathe Campus

- **Women's Brunch:** Nov. 9. 9:00 – 11:30 am. Cost \$5.
- **Men's Bible Study:** Saturdays, 7:00 – 8:30 am.

Blue Valley Campus

- **Men's Bible Study:** Saturdays at 7:00 am.
- **Women's Bible Studies:**
 - **Fridays:** Books of the Bible, 10 am – 12 pm. Onsite & Zoom. Join anytime.
 - **Saturdays:**
 - Higher Grounds, 7:30 – 9:00 am at Consentino's Market Starbucks.
 - Books of the Bible, 10AM – 12 pm. Zoom. Join anytime.

Hispanic Ministry Campus

- **Women's Bible Study:** Sept./Oct.
- **Thanksgiving Meal:** Nov. 24

Local Serving Opportunities to Share with Your Group:

These are some serving requests we have received over the past few weeks!

Shelter KC – For more info, contact Andi at aehrhart@shelterkc.org.

- There's more than one way to help neighbors in need this Thanksgiving Season. One way is to volunteer your time! We have opportunities for individuals, groups and families to get involved.