



Life Group Discussion Guide

November 9: Matthew 6:24 --- God's Rival

Icebreaker:

Have you ever participated in a rivalry individually or in a group? What was it about?

Discussion Questions:

Every group is different! As you prepare, choose the questions that best fit your group, focusing on those that spark meaningful conversation. Don't rush—depth is better than distance. Trust the Holy Spirit to lead your discussion!

Big idea: Money is not just a resource; it is God's rival.

1. Mammon is not just financial, it is spiritual

- **Read: Matthew 6:24 aloud.**
- What are some ways that God and money can conflict with one another?
- What makes money so appealing that it could RIVAL God in the first place?
- How does our culture reinforce the idea that financial success equals safety or worth? In what ways could this be seen as a form of spiritual warfare?
- Why do you think Jesus taught about money so often?

2. Mammon's false promise

- **Read: Ephesians 6:12 aloud.**
- If money = "mammon" we should be aware of what mammon means. What is its definition?
- When does *money* become *mammon*?
- Which of these four motivations – security, status, control, or freedom – do you most resonate with when it comes to money?
- What can't money provide for us that only God can?

3. Mammon's kryptonite is giving

- **Read: 2 Corinthians 8:9 aloud.**
- Share examples of how you have experienced generosity in your life.
- What are some fears that keep us in mammon's grip so often?
- How can we help free one another from this false god, Mammon?

4. Reflection and Application:

THINK

- Spend a few quiet moments in reflection.
Contemplate: *What role does money play in my life right now?*
 - What emotions surface when I think about money—peace, anxiety, control, comparison, or contentment?
 - Where am I most tempted to trust money to give me what only God can?
 - “Lord, show me where money has more of my trust than You do.”
 - “Lord, what would it look like to depend on You more deeply this week?”
- Encourage group members to write down their responses privately or share voluntarily.

GUIDED PRAYER

Pray this together—either out loud as a group or silently as individuals:

“Abba Father, search my heart to reveal where I’m trusting money to give me what I fear You won’t. Loosen its grip on my life, and give me the courage to loosen mine. Teach me to use money as a tool for Your Kingdom, not as a master over my heart. Amen.”

What’s Happening in the Life of Legacy:

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

All Campus

- **Legacy’s Annual Banquet:** November 16. 5:00pm. Overland Park Convention Center. [Learn More Here!](#)
- **Guatemala Mission Trip, May 24 – 29, 2026:** Applications are due December 15. [Learn More Here!](#)

Local Serving Opportunities to Share with Your Group:

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

Joy Meadows – For more info, contact Sarah at sarahnolan@joymeadows.org

- Both group and individual opportunities to volunteer are available. Some opportunities include mentoring a child, helping maintain the garden and orchard, or caring for the farm animals.

Care Package, Inbound – For more info, contact Jessica Silvey at Admin@carepackageinbound.com.

- Building a bag makes a difference for everyone who receives one. Each bag is given to foster youth at no cost. Email to learn how you can volunteer.