

Sermon-Based Discussion

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BIBLE PASSAGES

MATTHEW 4:4 4But he answered, "It is written, "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that comes from the mouth of God."

LUKE 19:5 5And when Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, "Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today."

JOHN 14:12 12"Truly, truly, I say to you, whoever believes in me will also do the works that I do; and greater works than these will he do, because I am going to the Father.

JOHN 8:1-11 1but Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. 2Early in the morning he came again to the temple. All the people came to him, and he sat down and taught them. 3The scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in adultery, and placing her in the midst 4they said to him, "Teacher, this woman has been caught in the act of adultery. 5Now in the Law, Moses commanded us to stone such women. So what do you say?" 6This they said to test him, that they might have some charge to bring against him. Jesus bent down and wrote with his finger on the ground. 7And as they continued to ask him, he stood up and said to them, "Let him who is without sin among you be the first to throw a stone at her." 8And once more he bent down and wrote on the ground. 9But when they heard it, they went away one by one, beginning with the older ones, and Jesus was left alone with the woman standing before him. 10Jesus stood up and said to her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" 11She said, "No one, Lord." And Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you; go, and from now on sin no more."]]

Group Discussion & Life Challenge

Use these notes as discussion prompts for your group, or in your personal time with God.

Connect:

Get to know each other. Connect, warm up to each other, fellowship.

Care:

Carry each other's burdens. Share life's challenges and practice Soul Care. Pray together.

Challenge:

Dive into God's Word. Use these discussion questions. Learn from each other's insight.

Heart of the House - Influence - Leading like Jesus.

Run each situation in the top row through the list in the left column.

1. What richness does the past provide you – what weaknesses or traps also exist in the past?
2. What are you cultivating right now – and how?
3. What's your preferred future? How will you get there?

	Marriage/rel.	Spiritual Walk	Church/ministry
Richness from the past			
Cultivate together now			
Forecast what's next			

What type of culture are we trying to build at MBIC?

What is Culture?

“making sense” of the world as well as “making something” of it,

Concluding that culture is the “activity of making meaning.”

Shout out to our ministry teams, small groups, marriage mentors, etc..

“Absolutely no one makes culture alone”

What's this look like if you apply the mirror test to your own life?

From John 8:1-11

Jesus exposed a common sin: to punish the sins of others – while ignoring our own sin.

Similar to 2 Samuel 12:1-10. Nathan confronted David by telling him about a guy, who was up to no good.

How do we make MBIC a place of invite & welcome – so we can get into the Initiate & Nurture a Growing Relationship with Christ? How might this be uncomfortable & stretching? What does it require of us?

Clarify:

Does anyone need clarity on something? Are there any big God questions you are wrestling with?

Celebrate:

Celebrate life's successes and God's provision. Worship God's presence. Time to brag about God.

KEY TAKEAWAYS