

# Sermon-Based Discussion

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## BIBLE PASSAGES

### Luke 10:25-37

#### *The Parable of the Good Samaritan*

<sup>25</sup>And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, “Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?” <sup>26</sup>He said to him, “**What is written in the Law? How do you read it?**” <sup>27</sup>And he answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.” <sup>28</sup>And he said to him, “**You have answered correctly; do this, and you will live.**”

<sup>29</sup>But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?” <sup>30</sup>Jesus replied, “**A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead. <sup>31</sup>Now by chance a priest was going down that road, and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. <sup>32</sup>So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. <sup>33</sup>But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was, and when he saw him, he had compassion. <sup>34</sup>He went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he set him on his own animal and brought him to an inn and took care of him. <sup>35</sup>And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, ‘Take care of him, and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.’ <sup>36</sup>Which of these three, do you think, proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?” <sup>37</sup>He said, “The one who showed him mercy.” And Jesus said to him, “You go, and do likewise.”**

### Acts 2:45

<sup>45</sup>And they were selling their possessions and belongings and distributing the proceeds to all, as any had need.

## **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:**

**Care in community is about a commitment to love your neighbor. Share a story from this past year about how that has looked in your life.**

**Can you think of a time when someone cared for you when it was hard to do so?**

**Was there a time when care became a continuous commitment you made to someone, or someone made to you? How does it, or did it feel?**

**Why do you think this is a challenge for you or others?**

**How will you make an effort to be committed to care for someone this week? What needs to shift in your heart to be available, or to have margin for care?**

### **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**