## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

For the week of October 23, 2022

One of the best things you can do after hearing truths from the Word of God is to talk about them with others. Here are some questions to help get the conversation started. (hint: the first couple of questions are meant to "break the ice" and get people talking)

- Talk about a time that someone was unexpectedly generous to you.
- Talk about a time that you were skeptical of someone's motives because it felt like they were trying to get something out of you.
- In these kinds of situations, do you tend to be more skeptical or trusting? Why do you think that is?
- Both groups of people in John 6:16-29 were following Jesus, but with very different motives. Read John 6:25-27. How would you explain their motives? How have you seen yourself struggle with these unhealthy motivations?
- "One group saw Jesus in their <u>presence</u>. The other saw Jesus as a way to get <u>presents</u>." Discuss the differences between these two.
- Read John 6:27. Give specific examples of modern day "meat that perishes" and "meat that endures."
- Read John 6:29. The definition of "believe" is "to commit or entrust a thing unto." What is something that you have "entrusted" to God? How did that impact the way you followed Jesus?
- Is there something that you currently need to "commit, or entrust" to God?
- Take some time to pray together.

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