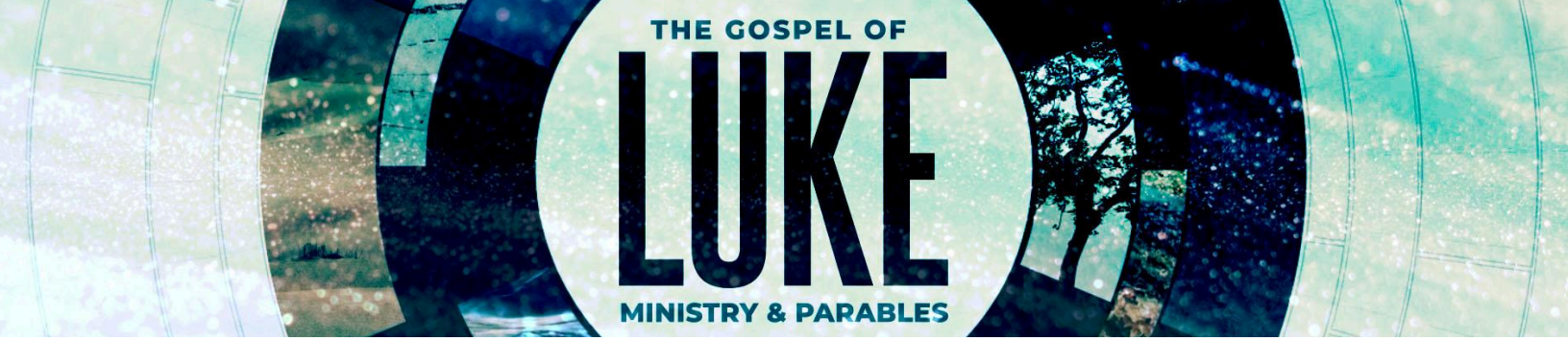

- Week **17** Questions -

Opening Question: What's something you own that you probably should have gotten rid of years ago but just can't seem to part with?

Read **Luke 12:1-21** together.

Questions from the text

- Why does Jesus refuse to settle the inheritance dispute in vv. 13–14 and what does His response reveal about His mission and priorities?
- Based on the entire passage, what does it look like to be "rich toward God," and how does that contrast with merely storing up earthly treasure?

Cross Reference

- Read **Exodus 20:17** together.
- How might being "rich toward God”serve as the biblical antidote to coveting?

Application Questions

- Where can we be most tempted to appear more spiritually mature than we really are? What helps us pursue authenticity before God?
- What tends to define culture’s identity or sense of success? How can we be more intentional about rooting our identity in Christ?

Core Value: Surrender

As we look in Scripture, we see ways we are directed to surrender to Christ, be a part of his biblical community, and participate in his mission.

- Looking across this entire passage, what is one specific area where Jesus calls His disciples to trust Him instead of themselves? Which of those areas most challenges you personally?