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DISCUSSION GUIDE

THE PARENT RACE

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The Parent Race: Week 4

Keeping the Goal in Mind

BIG IDEA: When we seek God's goal first, everything else is added.

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 6:33

OPENING QUESTIONS

1. What was one of your favorite memories growing up?
2. What are your plans for Memorial weekend?

IN THE WORD

1. Share how [Matthew 6:33](#) can impact parenting.
2. Read [Matthew 6:19-26](#). What do these verses help us understand about [Matthew 6:33](#)?
3. [Matthew 12:44](#) talks about good and bad fruit. Put that passage in your own words as it pertains to parenting.
4. [Proverbs 3:13-15](#) reflects on wisdom. Why are these things so important especially for parents? Give some examples.

MAKING IT PERSONAL

1. What does seek first His righteousness mean in your family?
2. Name a way you sought God's righteousness first that has benefitted you.
3. How does keeping the end in mind impact parenting and all other relationships?
4. From the family checklist in the sermon, which two have you found to be the most important in your life?
 - Grit
 - Critical thinking
 - Be wise with money
 - Know how to deal with conflict
 - Honor and respect those in authority
 - Serve the church with others
5. How can you model seeking God first to your family?

CONTINUED LEARNING

Read [1 John 3:11-24](#) and consider how these verses can help you have better family relationships.

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