



1. Opening Weekly Christian

Formation

Question 11* What does God require in the sixth, seventh, and eighth commandments?

Answer: Sixth, that we do not hurt, or hate, or be hostile to our neighbor, but be patient and peaceful, pursuing even our enemies with love. Seventh, that we abstain from sexual immorality and live purely and faithfully, whether in marriage or in single life, avoiding all impure actions, looks, words, thoughts, or desires, and whatever might lead to them. Eighth, that we do not take without permission that which belongs to someone else, nor withhold any good from someone we might benefit.

Scripture Reference: Romans 13:9

2. August 31 Sermon - Study

Questions | Revelation 2:8-11

***Read the passage aloud together.**

***Pray for God's wisdom to rightly understand the passage.**

1. Recap from the last time your Dig Group gathered. How did you apply God's Word over the last week(s)?

2. Before God acknowledges the suffering of the church in Smyrna, how does He first focus their attention on the vision of the glorified Christ from ch.1? (2:8; cf 1:17-18)

3. Why is this important to remember when going through trial?

4. What kind of suffering was the church in Smyrna facing?

5. How do you respond when facing great trials?

6. In verse what two reminders does God give the church? How is this helpful? ("I know", "you are rich")

7. What two commands does God give the church in v.10?

8. How is it possible to "not fear" and "be faithful unto death"? Where does this strength come from?

9. How can you fix your focus on the glory and promises of Christ to help you "be faithful unto death"?

3. Closing Time of Prayer

Prayer: Reserve plenty of time to pray for one another.

Prayer Challenge: Pray that God would provide opportunities for you to share Christ with people. Pray that you will make the most of every opportunity (Col 4:2-6).

**Weekly Christian Formation Questions are taken from the New City Catechism