



Order - 1 Corinthians 14:26-40

1. Why is it important that our services have order and are not just a free-for-all? How does order reflect the character of God?
2. Knowing that the Bible was not written to us but for us, how does this shape how we read our Bibles? How do we glean insights written by the Holy Spirit many years ago and apply them to our modern-day lives?
3. What is the danger of allowing cultural norms to dictate our view of scripture? Are there aspects of our modern culture that make you uneasy as you read the scriptures today?
4. Several times throughout the Gospels, we see Jesus give a hard word, leading some to leave. Read John 6:60-69. Why did some disciples stop following him? Why did others stay? What does this teach us about pressing in when things get hard?
5. Why is authority and headship so important in the scriptures? How is this headship and authority reflected in our families and churches? What are ways that we can subvert authority and face hardship without ruining the picture God has designed?
6. Why is it crucial for men to embrace their role as piers, provider, & protector in the home and in the Church? What happens when men don't press into their God-ordained role? Do you observe any of these challenges in our modern Church culture?
7. Jesus often challenged the cultural way of thinking by saying and doing things that corrected prevailing thoughts of the day. What are some areas where you need to be challenged to align your heart and actions with Scripture?