



Discussion Guide

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Romans 12:1-2

¹ Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship.

² Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.

Read Romans 12:1

1. What does it mean to offer your body as a living sacrifice? How is this a form of worship?
2. How does Paul root his appeal in 'God's mercy'? What does that reveal about the motivation for Christian living?

Read Romans 12:2

3. What are some patterns of this world that believers are tempted to conform to?
4. What does it look like to be transformed by the renewing of your mind?
5. How can believers discern God's will more clearly as they renew their minds?
6. How has your thinking changed as a result of following Jesus?