

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

- What does it mean for you, personally, to “seek the kingdom of God and his righteousness”? What does that look like in your life? How does that help you deal with anxiety?

- If we obey the first part of v. 33, then Jesus says, “all these things will be added to you.” What things is Jesus talking about? How are we supposed to interpret this so as not to promote some sort of “prosperity” gospel?

- Verse 34 seems to imply a kind of doom-and-gloom perspective on the future? How can Christians find a balance between recognizing the “trouble” (i.e., anxiety/worry) that is to come daily and yet the ultimate hope we have in Jesus Christ ?

- Sermon question: How do kingdom people deal with their fears?

NEW KINGDOM LIVING

JESUS' LIFE IN OURS

FAMILY QUESTIONS

- What does it mean to “seek” the kingdom of God and his righteousness? Are we just supposed to look for it? What is another way to understand the idea of “seeking” these things?

- How is tomorrow “anxious for itself”? Look up some other translations of this phrase (e.g., NLT, the Message). How do those paraphrases/translations help you understand this?

- How does verse 34 relate to 6:11, “give us this day our daily bread” ?

WEEKLY PRAYER

- Our Men & Women in Uniform
- Alex & Chris Kuhlow, Threads of Hope Philippines
- Charlie Hansen, Church Chairman
- Julie Anderson, Data Entry/Agape/ Reception
- Global Evangelism Teams
- Faith United Methodist, Neenah
- Pray for those who do not yet have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus. (Colossians 4:2-4)

CROSS REFERENCES

Psalm 20:1
Nahum 1:7
Proverbs 16:4
Luke 12:31
Philippians 4:6-7
James 4:13-14

SCRIPTURE MEMORY

“The Lord is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; he knows those who take refuge in him.”
Nahum 1:7 (ESV)

WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC

Only a Holy God
https://youtu.be/Jxn_fu6rdCU
King of My Heart
<https://youtu.be/VUW3tl4-5h8>