We are People	e to	
1. Partiality	our faith in Jesus Christ.	
2. Partiality com	nes from thoughts and judgements.	
3. Partiality	God's image bearers.	
4. Partiality mak	kes you a of the Law.	
5. Partiality is no	oot yet is required.	
We Serve a Go	od who saysis	
We are called	to our of	
1. We must be _	by the glory of Christ.	
2. We must be _	by the grace of Christ.	
3. We must be _	to the Law of Christ.	
4. We must be _	to the judgement of Christ.	
5. We must	the mercy of Christ.	
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## **Group Questions**

- 1. What are some ways you have shown favoritism, maybe even unintentionally, to those in your circle of influence?
  - a. When has others showing favoritism adversely affected you? Describe the effects it had on you.
  - b. How have you seen favoritism play out in church?
- 2. How should Christ's judgment on the last day affect your words and actions today?
  - a. Does this contradict God's grace? Explain your answer.
- 3. Why does showing mercy depend on receiving mercy, and how does the message of the gospel fit into this?
- 4. What is the difference between discernment and partiality? How can we know the difference?
- 5. How does care for the poor in our communities and around the world affect our gospel witness?
- 6. List some ways in which James's teaching mirrors the ministry and teaching of Jesus in the Gospels.