

GROUP QUESTIONS

1. What is one thing if anything that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. Have you ever been hurt by someone else's greed? Share your story with the group.
 - a. When we use the term avarice instead of just greed what (if anything) does that change in your mind?
 - b. When we read and pastor stated that this sin comes from idolatry what does that mean, how would you explain that to others?
3. Can we be "greedy" even if we don't have money?
 - a. What are some ways people are covetous even without money?
 - b. Where are you most likely to be covetous and why?
4. Why shouldn't we prioritize material gain in our lives?
 - a. What area is this most difficult for you in?
 - b. How might **Proverbs 11:24-25** help you in this?
5. Do you handle your finances with a mindset of generosity or stinginess?
 - a. Where should and or how can you seek to be more generous with our finances?
 - b. What does **Malachi 3:7-10** and **Matt 6:1-4** have to say about this?
6. How does greed hurt us and others?
 - a. Read **1 John 3:16-18** and discuss the above question in light of this text.
7. How can we pray for you?