

Jesus and the Ten Commandments

Study Questions

Week 1: Exodus 20:1-3, 4-5

1. Are there things in your life that you consider a relic, vintage, or antique? Share with your group.
2. Why would people consider the Ten Commandments outdated, or irrelevant?
3. How can you see Jesus in the Ten Commandments? Do you think Jesus' teachings support the Ten Commandments? Discuss with your group.
4. When thinking on the first two commandments – ““You shall have no other gods before me.”” And “you shall not make for yourself an image in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below” – what are the similarities in these first two?
5. What things do we as people make into small gods in our lives?
6. If you have made a small god in your life, would you share what your experience taught you?
7. We as people tend to look at our own lives and not see what something is we “worship” instead of our great God. Will you commit to a self-evaluation this week to see if there is anything that interferes with your relationship with God?
8. Share with your group if there was a specific thought or idea from the sermon this week that spoke to you or was a new concept.