

### How to Use this Message Tool

The teachings on Sundays are designed to reach you in your journey with God. They should lead you toward transformation and growth. We invite you to use this tool in your daily walk alone, in your family, or with a small community group. We believe that life change happens in community and hope this tool will develop practices and experiences that reflect this life change; becoming more like Jesus Christ.

There are three parts to this tool: Questions serve to incorporate what you learn into how you act, think, and talk; Practices are disciplines to which you submit so that a specific character quality develops more fully in you; Experiences are activities in which you engage that help you change the way you think about the world.



### Pride and the Poor in Spirit

1. Can anyone escape pride?

2. What does it look like to be truly humble?

3. How does our pride separate us from others?

4. If we are made to be in community, what does that look like for you?

5. How can recognition of our spiritual poverty lead us closer to God?

6. How has this week's sermon impacted your thought process? Was there any point made where you felt the Holy Spirit moving?

7. What will you do to work this sermon and God's Word into your heart this week?

### **Other Bible passages:**

Matthew 5:1-12

1 John 2:15-17