

## **GROUP QUESTIONS**

July 27<sup>th</sup> - August 2<sup>nd</sup> Luke 12:54 - 13:21

- 1. What does it mean to "interpret this present time"? What circumstances around us should God's Church notice and address? Luke 12:54-56
- 2. Jesus gives advice to reconcile with your adversary before going to the judge. In what ways might Jesus have been referring to the larger situation Israel was in? Luke 12:57-59
- 3. What was Jesus's purpose in telling the story about 18 people who died in a building accident? How are the stories of persecution and tragedy connected to the idea of repentance?

  Luke 13:1-5
- 4. In what way might the people of Israel be like a fig tree given one more year to bear fruit before it is destroyed? Luke 13:6-9
- 5. Why do you think that the people were "delighted with all the wonderful things" Jesus was doing on his journey? Luke 13:17
- 6. How have you seen the Kingdom of God act like a mustard seed or yeast in your relationships and communities? Luke 13:18-21