

# Small Groups

## DISCUSSION GUIDE

### “BELIEF MATTERS” PART 1

PASTOR BLACKBURN & PASTOR SELLERS – APRIL 20, 2026

#### AS THE DISCUSSION LEADER, THERE ARE A FEW THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND:

- Pray for your group discussion time!
- Choose a few questions from the guide that will generate the most discussion in your group.

#### GETTING TO KNOW ME (ICEBREAKER):

- What’s one event (personal or global) that changed how you see the world?  
(Examples: COVID, a family situation, a career shift, etc.) How did it affect your thinking or decisions?

#### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Have someone read Proverbs 4:23. How would you define a “worldview” in your own words?  
What are some influences that have shaped your beliefs (family, culture, media, etc.)?
2. Read Romans 12:2 – How does God say our thinking should change?
3. The message says: “Your worldview determines your choices, relationships, and direction.”  
Where have you seen this play out in your life?
4. Have someone read Luke 12:15. Where do you see this mindset in today’s culture—or in yourself?
5. Have someone read Colossians 1:16. What does it mean that everything exists by God and for God?  
Have someone read 2 Corinthians 5:17. How does becoming a “new creation” reshape your worldview?
6. Read Matthew 7:24-27. Have someone read Matthew 7:24-27. What does it practically look like to build your life on the “rock”? What are some “sand foundations” people rely on today?
7. Have someone read Luke 12:31. What does it look like to make God’s Kingdom your “primary concern” this week? What is one belief you need to realign with God’s truth?

#### PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES:

- Zach & Danika M. (Callan, Cadia, and Jurnie) – *Eurasia*
- Sam & Stephanie Maddux (Milania, Eliana, and Isabella) – *Thailand*

#### UPCOMING EVENTS:

Join a Wednesday night class, support group, or prayer group! Visit [victorylakeland.org/classes](https://victorylakeland.org/classes) to find a class that best fits you. New Classes begin Wednesday, April 15 at 6:30 PM!