

Unit 31, Session 2

Questions for Discussion

(Blue questions are geared toward kids ages 3rd-5th grade.)

1. **What job does God give all believers?** *(Think about Jesus' command in Matthew 28:19-20. Jesus commanded all of His followers to share the gospel and make disciples. Think of people you can share the good news with this week. How can you share the gospel with people you know?)*
2. **Are some people's jobs in the church more important than others? Why not?** *(Some people may have jobs that might make them more front-and-center like preaching or leading worship, but no job is more important than another. God gives us all jobs that are needed and are used to serve the church. Each job is a way to love others and love God.)*
3. **How do we, as Christians, serve people differently than those who are not Christians?** *(Any person, believers or unbelievers, can serve other people and help others. When believers serve, we want to help others and point them to Jesus. Serving and meeting people's needs is a way to demonstrate the gospel, but we also want to speak the truth of the gospel as well. Think about how you can serve others this week while also sharing the good news of Jesus.)*
4. **What is one command given to all believers no matter how they serve the church?** *(God has commanded all believers to share the gospel with others. Our service opportunities are a way for us to demonstrate the sacrificial message of the gospel and to teach the good news of Jesus to others. Read Matthew 5:14-16)*
5. **Are some people more important in the church than others? Why not?** *(No person is any more important than another. God equips every believer with certain gifts and talents to serve in different ways within the church. Every service role is needed for the church to work as it should for the glory of God. Read 1 Corinthians 12:4-6)*
6. **The seven men chosen to serve were men of good character. How can we be people of good character?** *(If we have trusted Jesus as our Savior, we should strive to live in a way that brings Him honor. He has called His followers to be His witnesses to the world. The character of Christ develops in us through the power of the Spirit as we obey the Word of God. The inward work of the Spirit is displayed through the outward words and actions of our lives. Remember the fruits of the Spirit. Read Acts 17:11)*

If you or your children have questions about what it looks like to follow Jesus in salvation or baptism, Pastor Sam would love to talk with you! Please feel free to contact him at believers@lenexabaptist.com.