



ONWARD

LET JUSTICE ROLL

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS



Week 1

Text: Amos 1:1–2

Topic: Ethics, Good and Evil

Big Idea of the Message: God is the only one with the authority to set the ethical standards for the world.

Application Point: Because God is the objective standard for morality, we must submit to God's standards for right and wrong.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. Where else does our culture look for authority or guidance on what is right and wrong?
3. Why do we need to do what's right?
4. How can we make sure we stay focused on what God calls right and wrong?
5. How are people around us affected when we don't treat God as the authority on right and wrong?
6. How can I pray for you?



Week 2

Text: Amos 2:6–16

Topic: Generosity, Justice

Big Idea of the Message: When all we have is gifted to us in the first place, we should be willing to freely share with others.

Application Point: We must examine our lives for ways in which we are contributing to injustice and instead show mercy, kindness, and justice as God's people.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. Why does God remind Israel of all he's done for them in this passage?
3. Why is it easy to forget where our blessings come from?
4. How would the people in your life be affected if you freely shared all God had given you?
5. What injustices is the church failing to address today? How can that change and how can you be a part of that?
6. How can I pray for you?



Week 3

Text: Amos 5:21–24

Topic: Integrity, Justice, Righteousness

Big Idea of the Message: Going through the motions of religious acts means nothing when the rest of your life isn't in obedience to God.

Application Point: Examine your life: is it just a religious show or do you take the time to obey God and live out his justice even when no one is looking?

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. Why would God hate worship that just goes through the motions so much?
3. Have you ever felt like you were just going through the motions in church?
4. How can you snap yourself out of this way of treating Christianity?
5. How are other people in your life affected when you're just going through the motions with God?
6. How can I pray for you?



Week 4

Text: Amos 7:1–17

Topic: God's judgment

Big Idea of the Message: God's plumb line of righteousness might make us uncomfortable, but it will show us where our lives are crooked.

Application Point: Jesus calls us to treat the less fortunate with the same love and generosity we would give Jesus.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. How do most people decide whether or not they're good people?
3. How can we measure where we are in our walk with God?
4. What is an area where God has convicted you lately, using his plumb line of righteousness?
5. When you look at Matthew 25:31–46, what part of Jesus's words convict you the most?
6. How can I pray for you?



Week 5

Text: Amos 8:1-6

Topic: Worship, Sabbath, Rest, Trust

Big Idea of the Message: Sincere worship transforms your heart.

Application Point: Sabbath helps us give God our full attention, rest in him, and trust him to be our provider.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. What is the hardest part about practicing Sabbath? What distractions keep you from it?
3. Why and how would worship change us?
4. How can we give God our full attention?
5. How can we make sure our worship is sincere?
6. How can I pray for you?



Week 6

Text: Amos 9:11–15

Topic: God's Promise, Grace, Repentance

Big Idea of the Message: Despite the selfishness of his people, God never changed his mind about sending salvation through Jesus.

Application Point: God's incredible grace means he will never give up on his promises, and it is never too late to turn from our sin to his justice.

Discussion Questions:

1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
2. Why would God still send Jesus to restore everything, even after his people turned their back so many times?
3. What does this tell us about God's character?
4. How should this affect the way we interact with God?
5. How should this affect the way we treat others?
6. How can I pray for you?