A Look In The Mirror

13 March - Ron Aulbach

James 1:19-27

LIFE

Building life giving relationships

CATCH UP: Spend 20-30 minutes catching up with each member of the group and sharing prayer requests. Make sure to spend a few minutes praying for each other. If possible try to have a quiet time in James 1:19-27 before the lesson.

YOUR STORY: How have you seen God move in your life over this past week?

GOD

Growing more like Jesus together

ENGAGE THE MESSAGE:

- 1. **Read** James 1:19-27
- 2. How are you hearing God's word?
- 3. What do you do when you look in the mirror? Try to improve? Project? Avoid? Adapt? Accept?
- 4. Do you find yourself acting differently around different groups of people? Why?
- 5. How can we see ourselves the way God sees us?
- 6. What aspects of Jesus do you see in yourself when you look in the mirror? What aspects are missing?

OTHERS

Loving God and loving others

OTHERS: As doers of God's Word, how can you care for others? Locally? Beyond?

BIBLE READING: Could you invite someone to jump into the bible reading plan with you? Could you as a group read through the bible reading plan together and share quiet times at group?

James Bible Reading Plan & Devos

Reading Plan

- □ Day 1: James 1:1-8
- ¬ □ Day 2: James 1:9-15
 - ☐ Day 3: James 1:16-18
 - Day 4: James 1:19-21
 - Day 5: James 1:22-27
 - □ Day 1: James 2:20-26
- **∞** □ Day 2: James 3:1-6
- Day 3: James 3:7-8
- **≥** □ Day 4: James 3:9-12
 - □ Day 5: James 3:13-18

- ☐ Day 1: James 2:1-4
- ☐ Day 2: James 2:5-7
- □ Day 3: James 2:8-13
- □ Day 4: James 2:14-17
- □ Day 5: James 2:18-19
- □ Day 1: James 4:1-3
- ☐ Day 2: James 4:4-6
- □ Day 3: James 4:7-10

Week 4

- □ Day 4: James 4:11-12
- □ Day 5: James 4:13-17
- □ Day 1: James 5:1-6
- ம □ Day 2: James 5:7-9
- □ Day 3: James 5:10-12
- □ Day 4: James 5:13-18
 - ☐ Day 5: James 5:19-20
 - Devotionals

- James Challenge (YouVersion)

- James 1: The Wisdom of the Brother of Jesus (YouVersion)
- James: Faith/Works (YouVersion)
- Video Overview James (Bible Project)
- Small Group James by Francis Chan (RightNow Media)
- Book "Exalting Jesus in James" by David Platt

