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Those Fearful People May 19, 2019

Those People – Numbers 13 Community Group Discussion Questions

**PLEASE READ BEFORE LEADING DISCUSSION**

* **Recommended questions are highlighted in bold, but select 5 or 6 questions you think will work best for your group discussion. You likely won’t have time to discuss all of the questions so choose which questions you will ask ahead of time and make sure to provide plenty of time to focus on the application questions.**
* **Feel free to edit or reword questions to best fit your group.**
* **You may want to print out copies of this document for everyone so they can follow along with the questions as you read them.**
* **Check out this Facilitation Guide (**[**http://bit.ly/CGFacilitationGuide**](http://bit.ly/CGFacilitationGuide)**) for tips on leading good discussions.**

**ICEBREAKER (5-10 Minutes)**

1. **Share your name and answer the following question:**
	* **­­What is something you were afraid of as a child?**

**REVIEWING THE SERMON (5-10 Minutes)**

1. **What Bible passage, story, quote, or idea most stood out to you from Sunday’s sermon?**
2. **Drew mentioned 3 ways fear manifests itself:**
	* + **Worry**
		+ **Control**
		+ **Avoiding Risk**
	* **Which of these most reflects how fear manifests itself in you?**

**REFLECTING ON SCRIPTURE (10 Minutes) –** *ask everyone to follow along in their Bible or Bible app.*

1. **Read Psalms 56:3-4.**
	* **How might David’s words in this passage help us overcome fear?**
2. Read Proverbs 3:5-6.
	* According to these verses, what does it look like to trust in God?

**APPLYING THE SERMON (10-20 Minutes)**

1. Drew shared that “fear keeps us from what God has promised.”
	* In what ways have your fears kept you from what God wants for you?
2. **How are you currently allowing fear to keep you from trusting God?**
	* **And what do you should do to overcome this fear?**

**GROWTH GOALS**

1. In prayer time, ask each other how you each are doing at accomplishing the growth goal you set at the beginning of the trimester.