



SMALL GROUP CURRICULUM

Sermon: **The Seventh Commandment, Part 1 (Exodus 20:1-21)**

Date: **October 15, 2023**

Group Discussion Questions

1. How did the Holy Spirit speak to you through the teaching and bible passage this week?
2. Do you agree that sexual immorality is the defining sin of our nation? Why or why not?
3. What does the seventh commandment forbid? What is adultery? Define it.
4. What is the 7th commandment designed to protect and honour? How does it do so?
5. How is sexual immorality unique from other sins? Explain and use Scripture to support your answer.
6. Pastor Jacob argued, *"Adultery is an attack on the gospel of Jesus Christ."* Explain what he meant by this and use Scripture to support your answer.
7. The 7th commandment forbids all other kinds of activities within the category of adultery. This would include the sin of pornography. How is pornography a much greater sin than lust?



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8. How can we seek to protect our kids from the dangers of sexual immorality and pornography in age-appropriate ways? Talk through different age ranges and what can be done toward this end.

9. How would you counsel someone who asks you, "How far is too far?" when it comes to their dating relationship? What Scriptures would you turn to?

10. Each commandment contains a negative and a positive commandment. What is the positive commandment embedded within the 7th commandment?

11. Read 1 Corinthians 6:9-11. What hope is there for the sexually immoral according to this passage? How does this passage bring comfort and joy to those who repent?

Accountability Question

1. Read 1 John 1:9. Is there any sexual sin in your life right now that you need to confess?