

## October 1 - 6

## Truth and Deception | Walking in the Light

**Icebreaker:** Would you live differently if you were the only one with no consequences for breaking the law?

## Read 1 John 2:1-6

- What is the tone of this passage? How would this feel different if it was a different tone?
- What motivates you to avoid sin?
- Why would John's writing keep the readers from sin? What role does Bible truth play in helping believers avoid sin?
- How does Jesus advocate for us before the Father when we sin? What does he say to the Father?
- (V 2) What does Jesus' ability to take on the entire world's sins tell us about his nature?
- What is your emotional response to the idea of keeping commandments?
- What is the relationship between keeping commandments and avoiding sin?
- Why is keeping commandments so important?
- What does it say about someone who does not keep God's commandments?
- Respond to this statement. "I don't sin because I am better than that."
- (V 4) What does it feel like to be called a liar? How does this bring color to this verse?
- (V 5) What does it mean that the love of God is perfected by those who keep His word?
- (V 6) What does it mean to abide in Jesus? What does it look like to walk like he walked?
- How does an internal motivation to avoid sin show that you are saved?

## Read 1 John 2:12-14

- List the truths of these verses.
- Which one most resonates with you?
- How does the truths of this whole passage motivation you to not sin?

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