

# Okay to be unclean?

Community Group

**Luke 10:25-37 /// Week of May 12**

**Today's big idea: Neighbors show mercy.**

- Tell the group about your best neighbors or your worst neighbors.
- Review the Community Group Guidelines together.
- What did you hear in the sermon that caught your attention?
- Someone pray that God would help us hear from him.

## **Head**

- Use Bible Storytelling to tell the story of the good Samaritan.
- Retell the story together as a group.
- Read the story from Luke 10:25-37 in the Bible.
- According to Jesus, what must we do to inherit eternal life?
- What role did priests and Levites have with the church and how would being unclean impact that?
- How did Jesus define who our neighbor is and how did the Samaritan model that?

## **Heart**

- How has your relationship with the Lord impacted your love for your neighbor? How are you different now in your love for others?
- Who are “neighbors” that are easy to love and who are “neighbors” that are hard to love? Why?

## **Hands**

- What step of faith can you take this week to show mercy to the neighbors that are hard to love?
- People who are “beat up” don’t often look beat up. How can we be intentional to engage in conversation and show mercy even to those we don’t think would be interested?
- As a group, what is something you can organize to specifically invite those who are not already connected with the church?
- **Make plans for the Community Group Birthday Bash this Sunday, May 19th!**

## **Next Week:**

When Is It Okay to Be Unclean? Mark 15:42-47