

## The Journey To Jerusalem | Warnings & Encouragements | Luke 12:1-12

- 1. Define a hypocrite. Without naming names, describe the actions of the worst hypocrite that you've ever met? Can you think of a time when you might have fallen into 'the hypocrite trap'?
- 2. Do you believe that God has an important part for you to play in his plan for humanity? If so, what is your part in that plan?
- 3. When you pray, do you try to hide things from God? (Why or why not?)
- 4. Chris said, 'Fear God, fear not'. How does our text make this a possibility? Is it possible to fear God and fear others at the same time?
- 5. To what do people look to make them feel important in our society? Do you consider yourself special? If so, what makes you special?
- 6. In your opinion, what is the worst sin that a person can commit? Is there any sin that is too bad for God to forgive? Explain your answer.
- 7. How does our text today speak into the tragic situation unfolding in Ukraine at the moment?
- 8. Describe courageous faith. Can you think of some Biblical, historic, or contemporary examples? Do you think you have a courageous faith?
- 9. When and how did you last share your faith in Christ? Discuss your feelings and emotions as you shared (or missed an opportunity to share). Did you experience the promise of verse 12?
- 10. Can you think of an occasion in the past few weeks when you have lived your faith with fearless integrity? Share stories, large or small. How might you make some steps forward with this regard in the journey ahead?
- 11. Pray for one another to put courageous faith on display this week.