

Serve the City

Sermon Discussion Questions - February 6, 2022

Pastor

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Text

Luke 10:25-37 (CSB)

Discussion Questions

- 1. In this passage from Luke 10, Jesus describes three men who pass by the battered man on the side of the road. Ross points out that two of the men pass by to maintain their righteousness. In what ways do you think we do the same today? Explain.
- 2. Consider the third man, the Samaritan. What do you think it means to show mercy?
- 3. Ross says we are most like the man who has been robbed and beaten. Why do you think Ross makes that parallel? In what ways have you experienced this to be true?
- 4. How does viewing Jesus in the role of the Samaritan inform your acts of mercy toward others?
- 5. Who is God asking you to see with compassion? How will you respond in obedience?

Prayer

Oh Lord, make us people who are willing to sacrificially love our neighbors! Give us eyes to see those with needs. Help us to remember our state before You restored us to the Father—we were the broken and battered man. May that reality overflow into how we care for our neighbors! Because of Jesus, amen.

