

## **Groups & Families Discussion Questions**

Follow along with the sermon and use these questions to dive a little deeper with your group, with your families at home or for your own personal reflection.

Sermon Notes: Can you identify the main point, the subpoints and application of today's message?

## Life Group Questions

- 1. Conversation Starter: What's something in your house you want to get rid of but can't?
- 2. Read Luke 15:11-32. Make 10 observations from the story.
- 3. Read Luke 15:1-2. How do these verses shed light on the story? What is the parable of the lost/prodigal son(s) all about?
- 4. What does this parable teach us about God?
- 5. The prodigal son exemplifies the virtue of courage. When dealing with our guilt and shame, what is the first step we need to take? (See 2 Cor 7:8-10)
- 6. Why do you think we can accept God's forgiveness but still struggle with feelings of guilt and shame? Should we? Check out 1 Jn 1:9.
- 7. What do we do when we do OCR repeatedly (Own it, Confess it, Release it) and it doesn't work? What role do we have in helping each other with guilt and shame?