

Part 9

Text: Exodus 20:16

**Topic(s)**: Honesty, Speech, Witness

**Bottom Line of the Message**: Truth is found in Jesus Christ **NextStep**: Accept the Truth (Jesus Christ) and Live out the Truth

## **Discussion Questions:**

- 1. What is one thing that stood out to you from this week's message?
- 2. Have you lied to get something you wanted? What was the outcome?
- 3. Read Exodus 20:16
  - a. What are some ways we can bear false witness that go beyond the courtroom?
- 4. Do you think you've ever borne false witness about someone by sharing a meme, or tweet, or making a misleading statement about someone with whom you disagree with, maybe even on a political level? Is that okay?
- 5. Have you ever been on the receiving end of gossip? How did it feel?
- 6. Why do you think gossip is so easy to do or participate in?
- 7. George Orwell, author of Animal Farm and 1984, said, "In a time of universal deceit, telling the truth is a revolutionary act."
  - a. Do you believe this statement to be true? Why or why not?
- 8. Kyle Said, "As Christians we need to be revolutionaries by speaking the truth."
  - a. How can we be revolutionaries in today's world?
- 9. Read John 14:6
  - a. What does this verse mean to you?

## **Gender Breakout:**

- 1. Have you accepted the Truth (Jesus Christ) as your Lord and Savior? Why or why not?
- 2. Are you Living out the Truth? Why or who not?
- 3. How can we pray for you?