

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
SEPTEMBER 17, 2023

WOE TO THE WORLDLY
LUKE 6:24-26

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

God's curse rests on all who seek from this world the blessing he alone can provide.

- I. Cursed Are Those Full of This World (v.24-25)
- II. Cursed Are Those Flattered by This World (v.26)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

1. Does the talk of Jesus and curses make you uncomfortable? Why? What should change about how you understand Jesus?
2. How would you respond to someone who says Jesus is against rich people? What about someone who says that to follow Christ means to live without joy?
3. Where in your life is flattery the greatest temptation?
4. Boys & girls – what does it mean to be blessed by Jesus? What does it mean to be cursed by Jesus? Would you rather receive the blessings of Jesus or the curses of Jesus? Why?

FURTHER READING: Luke 16:19-31; Jer 50:11; James 4:8-10; Isa 30:10; 2 Tim 4:3-5; Matt 7:25; John 15:19