

## THE LIGHT OF THE WORLD

### John 8:12-30

**Big Idea: Jesus is the light of the world who invites us to follow Him.**

Jesus equates himself with the Father (v. 12-20)

Jesus reveals who we are (v. 21-23)

Jesus reveals the way to life (v. 24)

#### **NEXT STEPS:**

- Believe in Jesus Christ the Light of the World.
- Count the times in the past week where you have walked in belief, and confess the times when you have walked in unbelief.
- Follow where the Spirit leads this week.

#### **LIVE IT OUT**

##### **Putting the Bible into Practice:**

Read aloud Exodus 3:14 & the following 8 'I AM' statements Jesus makes: John 6:35, 8:12, 8:58, 10:9, 10:11, 11:25, 14:6 & 15:1. What do we learn about Jesus & the Father?

Read John 3:16-21, 8:12; Acts 26:18 & Colossians 1:13-14. What stands out? People are born with a dark (sinful nature) but also choose to contribute to it; why & how? How does the enemy lead people into darkness or keep them there? How have you experienced darkness? Have you trusted & believed in Jesus? How has He brought light & life to you?

Read John 8:29. How have you experienced God 'with you' this past week? What have you done that pleased Him? Where or when did you disobey or 'not believe'? Why? Read 1 John 1:9.

##### **Challenge:**

Memorize John 8:12. Believe & receive Jesus. Walk in the light & share it with others!