



NEW HORIZONS SMALL GROUPS

Sermon Title: Exodus - The Gold Calf

Scripture Reference: Exodus 32-34

Connection:

- What do you remember most from last week's sermon?
- How did you hear God's voice or sense His presence this past week?
- What are you excited for this summer?

Reflection:

- Summarize this week's sermon in one to three sentences. What was the main point of the message?
- What did the message say about you, God's people or the world?

Application:

1. Read Exodus 32:1-6. What motivated this response by Israel to Moses' absence? What might cause people then and today to lose their faith in God?
2. What are idols in America? Where do Christians create idols and worship it instead of God today?
3. What do you learn about the character of Moses in chapters 32-34? What virtues does he demonstrate?
4. Are there times you have pleaded with God for someone or some group that was not walking in faith? What were those prayers of pleading like?
5. Read Exodus 32:7-14. Why does God show mercy to Israel? What does that mean for us today?
6. When has God shown mercy to you? What did you learn from that time in your life?

7. End by praying together for our church to trust God more and resist idols, and pray for our pastors and elders to always follow the Lord's path.