## An Oldie But a Goodie

Deuteronomy 4:44-5:32

## The Ten Commandments teach us to:

- Love <u>God</u> (1-4)
- Love <u>others</u> (5-10)

## Why do the Ten Commandments still matter?

- They <u>matter to God</u>
- They <u>are foundational</u>
- They are transformative
- They <u>are good</u>
- They \_\_\_\_\_

## **Questions for Discussion:**

- 1. Hypothetically, if God brought you in as a consultant when He was drafting the Ten Commandments, are there commandments you think didn't need to make the list of 10? Are there commandments that you feel would have been beneficial to add?
- 2. What role should the Ten Commandments play in the teaching ministry of the Church? What role should they play in the individual discipleship of a Christian? What role should they play in our modern culture?
- 3. How does sin from one generation impact future generations? Do you see any effects of sin passed down in your family? If so, what are they? Are there any generational sins that you are trying to stop from perpetuating?
- 4. In what ways do you honor God's principle of sabbath? What does/should it look like in our modern age?
- 5. What is the connection between coveting and the other commandments? What are ways that you guard your heart against coveting?
- 6. In addition to the answers that Pastor Mark gave, how would you personally answer the question: "Why do the Ten Commandments still matter?"