Community Group Discussion Questions For the week of February 16, 2020

Read James 4:13-5:6
Say a prayer that God would open your heart to hear His voice from the Epistle of James

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What confuses or puzzles you about this text? What would you like to understand more?
- 2. Why is it 'arrogance' to assume you know what tomorrow might bring? (verses 13-15)
- 3. In this passage (5:1-5), is the problem that it is wrong to be rich? Or, is it something else?
- 4. Why are the actions of the rich so problematic in this situation?
- 5. Consider this text in relation to the Old testament prophets, are there connections you can make? Does James sound 'prophetic' in this passage?