



PRIORITIES FOR THE NEW YEAR

LUKE 10:25-42

GETTING STARTED

- Walk back through the year 2022 starting from January. Where were times when you noticed God's presence the most throughout the year? Where did he seem silent? Where were you grateful for God's provision?

SCRIPTURE STUDY

Before you begin: *Open with prayer and spend a minute or two in silence before God. Have multiple people ask the Holy Spirit to enter your time together and illuminate your hearts and minds to scripture.*

- Have someone read the passages in their entirety aloud. As a group, summarize the passage, and as you do so, note any observations, questions, and exciting insights you found while reading through the text. What jumped out at you? What was something you noticed now that you didn't see before?
- In verses 25-29, Jesus and the Lawyer discuss the Shema. Why is this integral to the passage about the good Samaritan?
- What is significant about each person that encounters the beaten man?
- What does this passage teach us about hospitality?

WRAPPING UP

- As you think about 2023, what do you feel the Lord is calling you to this next year? Take some time to pray about these things.