



### Coming Together

- What are some of your family's Mother's Day traditions?
- What is your favorite Mother's Day memory?

### Growing in Our Understanding

- Read Colossians 3:5-14 and answer the following questions:
  - What are we supposed to "put to death"?
  - What are we supposed to "clothe ourselves with"?
  - What do you find difficult about the words written in Colossians 3:5-14?
- How would you define "kindness" in your own words? Share an example of kindness that someone has demonstrated to you?
- Read Galatians 6:10. Why do you think Paul says that we are to "especially honor" our Christian Brothers and Sisters? Does the verse exclude us from serving people outside the church?

### Unwrapping and Applying God's Principles

- Read John 13:34-35. What impact should these verses have on the way we treat each other? Why is it so important that we care for each other well? Who is watching us?
- Romans 12:15 says, "When others are happy, be happy with them. If they are sad, share their sorrow." What are some practical ways we can demonstrate the truths of this verse at Plain Community Church?
- Psalm 141:5 in the Good News Translation reads, "Good people may punish me and rebuke me in kindness, but I will never accept honor from evil people." How does the value of kindness and the need to be honest mix?

### Deepening Our Hearts for God

- Read Titus 3:3-5 and Romans 5:8. In what ways did God show us kindness according to these two passages?
- What does it say about our value as people that God would demonstrate this level of kindness towards us?
- Finish this sentence, "Because God has been so kind to be, I feel that I should..."

### Looking Ahead

Read Galatians 5:16-18. Circle, underline, or highlight anything that stands out to you. How does Paul describe a Christian who is living out their freedoms in a responsible way?

