

JULY 25TH 2021

# ANXIOUS HEARTS IN PURSUIT OF THE KINGDOM

Matthew 6:25-34



## DISCIPLESHIP QUESTIONS

- Take note of any observations, questions, and exciting insights you found while reading through the text to share with the group. What jumped out at you? What was something you noticed now that you didn't see before?
- The word "therefore" is used at the beginning of this passage in verse 25. What has Jesus referenced before, and how does it fit into what this passage is talking about?
- What does Jesus mean when he says that life is more than what we eat or what we will wear?
- In what ways are we like the birds of heaven? In what ways are we not? What does Jesus promise us in verse 26?
- How does anxiety shorten life instead of saving it?
- Why does Jesus reference Solomon when talking about the lilies of the field? What does verse 30 promise us when we trust God?
- Verse 32 says, "the gentiles run after all these things." What are "all these things," and how do we as believers still "run after" them despite Jesus' promise in verse 33?
- How do we pursue the kingdom of God? What does practicing righteousness look like in our lives?
- What is a source of anxiety for you in your life? Where are you learning to trust Jesus with your worry?

Memory Verse:  
**Matthew 6:33-34**

"But seek first His kingdom and His righteousness, and all these things will be added to you. So do not worry about tomorrow; for tomorrow will care for itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own."