

Small Group Discussion Questions

Following the Weekend of June 20-21, 2026

No need to answer every question. Feel free to jump around.

Clothed and Cared For

(1 Peter 5:5-6)

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Group Interaction & Application

Read aloud together 1 Peter 5:5-6.

What words, phrases, concepts, or images from these verses stand out to you as you just read them, or create curiosity for you in some way?

What aspects of Pastor Stetson's message gave you fresh insight into this passage, or helped you the most in understanding these verses and what we experience here?

What value does our culture place on humbleness?

If most people recognize humbleness as a good thing, why do we not see this trait more often?

What gets in the way of being humble?

Why is caving to pride so easy?

Pastor Stetson shared how humbleness is not about belittling ourselves but instead is about “turning the volume down on ourselves, while turning up the volume on those around us.”

What are examples of how we can “turn the volume down” on ourselves?

What are examples of how we can “turn up the volume” on those around us?

When has someone else’s humility blessed you?

How does it make you feel to hear that, “God opposes the proud”? (vs. 5)

What encouragement, if any, do you feel when you hear that, “God shows favor to the humble”?

When have you received a gift just because (it was not your birthday, it was not Christmas, etc.)?

What were the circumstances around receiving this gift and what did it mean to you?

When have you been able to give someone else a gift just because (it was not their birthday, it was not Christmas, etc.)?

What was this experience like for you and what did you see in their response?

How easy or difficult is it for you to trust that humbleness will result in God, “lift(ing) you up in due time”? (vs. 6)

When is it most difficult for you to be humble (family situation, work situation, sports environment, etc.)?

What helps you exhibit the patience for God’s promise to unfold?

Who is someone or some group that you could express a greater humbleness to in the coming days?

What could this look like to be carried out?

Conclude by praying for one another in taking practical next steps in applying this weekend’s message and group discussion, after which pray for group needs and concerns.

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