

# BLESS AND CURSE



Welcome to week 5 of our James series.

Feel free to use these questions as you need to as a resource to help facilitate your group. You don't have to use ALL the questions!

Read James 3:1-18

1. Why do you think teachers will be judged more strictly?
2. James suggests small things cause large events. Can you think of a time in your life when something small has developed into something large – good or bad?
3. How can the tongue corrupt the whole body? (v6)
4. We use our tongues to bless God and curse humans(v9), what is the real cause of such dichotomy?
5. How can we help each other be more accountable for what we say and do?
6. If James wrote this letter today, what do you think he would say about social media?
7. James moves onto the subject of wisdom, how does that fit into the use of our speech?
8. v17 James outlines heavenly wisdom, what in that verse do you find easy to demonstrate, and what do you find more difficult?

Application

1. Do you need to change any behaviour relating to how you use your power of speech?
2. In what ways could you use your speech for good?
3. Pray for each other to have opportunities to show heavenly wisdom.

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