



Group Guide 5/21/17

Series: He Is _____

Message: **#5 He Is JUDGE**

Start Talking:

- In what ways do we LOVE the concept of JUDGING?
- In what ways do we HATE judgement?
- Why is it so controversial?

Start Reading/Thinking:

Psalm 50:1-7

- What does God have a heart for according to this passage?
- Why do you think judgement is necessary according to this Scripture?

Psalm 45:5-7

- What do you think the “scepter of justice” means?
- Why is this information so important that you think God himself made sure this Psalm was included in the Bible?

Luke 11:37-54

- What do you think the attitude of Jesus here?
- What seemed to 'set him off?'
- In what ways do you think the pharisees neglected the justice of God?
- It seems like Jesus teaches that the justice of God and the love of God are pretty connected. How do you think God's love and justice are connected?

Start Challenging:

- What are YOUR personal thoughts when it comes to seeing God as the judge that He is? What are your initial feelings? What do you think needs to improve in your thinking of Him as judge?
- Do you honestly see the things in YOURSELF that you know God needs to 'judge?' If so, what are they?
- How does God obliterate those things in you? What steps do you need to take to allow Him to do that? (if you are wrestling with this question, refer to **Luke 9:21-25**)

Start Praying:

- Lord, teach me to let YOU be the judge of all people.
- Lord, let me desire JUSTICE the way you do
- Lord, let me see the INJUSTICES, the SIN that lives in me
- Lord, let me hand over those SINS to you, and let you put them to death.
- Lord, let me know judge others, but lead them to escape judgement by sharing the gospel with them and leading them to your GRACE!