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Community Group Questions

Matthew 3-4 tells us the story of Jesus getting baptized then Jesus being led by the Spirit into the desert to be tempted by the devil. The main point of these stories is to remind believers that we are at war. There is a real enemy; if there is a real enemy, it helps to be mindful of the typical weapons of the enemy as well as practical methods of fighting back against the evil in the world.

Scriptures: Mathew 3:13-17, 4:1-11; 2 Corinthians 5:21; Psalm 37:4; John 10:10

- 1. “Whenever we set ourselves apart for Jesus, the enemy will come to attack.”**
- 2. “If you don’t have conflict internally or externally, you might not be in the game.”**
- 3. How has satan proven to you that he is the ‘accuser’?**
- 4. Why is it important to recognize the tactic of the enemy convincing you to rely on yourself instead of the power of God? (Matt. 4:3)**
- 5. “Whenever we set ourselves apart for Jesus, the enemy will come to attack.”**
- 6. Are you pursuing fire insurance in your faith?**
- 7. “The Bible teaches that the earth will disappear one day, but the people will live forever.” How do you keep this perspective in your daily life?**
- 8. “You become what you meditate on?” Are you pursuing anything to your detriment?**
- 9. C.S. Lewis “My prayer is that when I die, all of hell rejoices because I’m out of the fight.”**
- 10. Why did Jesus get baptised?**