

# Small Group Guide

## Mark 14:1-11

### From the sermon - 2020 Part I



*Which is easier, to say to the paralytic, 'Your sins are forgiven,' or to say, 'Rise, take up your bed and walk'? But that you may know that the Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins"*

*Mark 2:9-10*

#### **Discuss**

1. When have you offered a gift or done an act out of pure love for Jesus alone?
2. What would you include in your personal list of "Extravagant things I have done for Christ"?
3. When have you sensed God's pleasure over something you have done even though no one else noticed?
4. What unpopular or ridiculed actions have you taken, out of love for Christ?
5. When the woman anointed Jesus' head with ointment some thought this act was pointless and wasteful but Jesus brought clarity to the situation. Contrast the reactions that the disciples had regarding the ointment to the actions that Jesus took.
6. Like the disciples, we too can have in our minds what is right. But how can we make sure we have the mind of Christ and not fall into our limited perspective on things?

**Next small group meets January 12th**