The 10 Commandments

small group questions

Commandment #9 - "You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor." Exodus 20:16

1. What is something from Sunday night's lesson that you found to be helpful, eye-opening or troubling? Explain.

2. Name some ways that you have seen people (in person or on TV, etc.) be dishonest in past few days. Why were they being dishonest?

3. What are some of the reasons people lie?

    a. Is it ever okay to lie? Why or why not?

4. Why is truthfulness important?

    a. What makes lying so bad? What can happen when we lie?

5. How would the world be different if everyone told the truth?

6. Read Proverbs 6:16-19. What does this passage say about God's feelings about those who lie? How does this make you think differently about lying?

7. Read John 8:44. What does this verse say about the devil? Now read Titus 1:1-3. What does this passage say about God? How are they different? Who are you more like?

8. Are you a truthful person? What are some of the ways you are dishonest? What do you need to do to be a more truthful person?