

Purpose in Pandemics

Episode 1: Be Courageous Small Group Questions

1. The beginning of the video talked about the history of different diseases and plagues that have affected our world, such as leprosy, the Antonine plague, and the Justinian plague. What did you learn from these discussions that you didn't know before?
2. What did you think of the fact that Christians were sometimes actually blamed for the plagues by the Roman government and persecuted further because of this belief, yet they still reached out and served those in need who were not Christians?
3. Dr. Brian Vickers stated that we can live courageously because our greatest fear – death – has been put to death by Christ. How should this reality encourage you to live more courageously each day?
4. Sometimes living courageously is simply reaching out to someone in need and asking how you can help. Who in your life needs to hear this from you during this pandemic we are currently facing? Maybe it's a family member, a neighbor, a coworker, a classmate, etc.
5. Answer the last question that Pastor Matt Reagan posed to us at the end of this video: What does it look like for us to live boldly?