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## **Weekly Sermon Based Discussion Questions**

June 1, 2025 SCRIPTURES:

1 Corinthians 6:1-11

**DIGGING DEEPER:** 

1. In what ways do you see modern culture trying to blend with the message of the Gospel, similar to what happened in Corinth? How does that affect the church's witness today?

2. Paul challenged the Corinthians to resolve conflict within the church rather than turning to the world. How do you typically handle conflict with other believers? What might change if you applied Paul's teaching?

3. Paul says it's better to be wronged or defrauded than to damage the Gospel's testimony. Are you personally willing to suffer loss or be misunderstood for the sake of Christ's reputation? Why or why not?

4. Paul confronts the Corinthians for being too tolerant of sin, even calling it "grace-filled arrogance." Where do you see similar attitudes in today's church or in your own heart?

5. The list of sins Paul mentions includes both culturally 'acceptable' and obviously destructive behaviors. How does this challenge your view of sin and grace?

6. Paul reminds them: "Such were some of you." How has your life changed because of Jesus — and are there any areas where you're still tempted to live like your "old self"?

7. Reflecting on the church's authority and the seriousness of our witness, what practical steps can you take this week to strengthen your testimony - especially in how you speak about or deal with fellow believers?

ACTION STEP: This week as a group, be praying for our local church elders, pastors, and congregation to align our attitude and approach toward conflict and sin within the church more with the Word of God.