

Do Something!

Small Group Work Sheet June 12, 2011

Part 1 - Ice Breaker

Did you have a child or did you know a child who was in Vacation Bible School this past week? How
did it turn out for them?

Part 2 - Sermon Review

- The mega-theme of James changed. It is now about the *Word of God*. What two things does God's Word do in our lives? (See James 1:18 + 21)
- · What is the great danger for Christians involved in regular worship and Bible study?
- Pastor Kurt contrasted Mr. Hearer to Mr. Doer. What were some of the contrasts he described? What are additional contrasts you can think of?
- Do you have a memorable moment when you wish you looked in a mirror before you went in public?
- A mirror gives us the honest truth about what we look like on the outside, God's Word gives us the honest truth about what we look like on the inside. How often do you look in the mirror? How often do you think we should look into the mirror of God's Word? What role does Scripture memory play in helping us look regularly in the mirror?
- How intently do you look into the mirror? (I assume women do this more than men!) How intently should we look into the mirror of the Word? What is wrong with a casual glance at both of them?
- What is the deep-seated reason why we avoid obeying the *Word of God*? What does Pastor Kurt want us to drill into our head about God's moral law?
- What does it mean to have God's blessing? What must be true in our life to receive it? How important is God's blessing to you? Is there something you would rather have instead of it?