

# GATHER 10

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS Week of February 5, 2023

This week's discussion questions are based on the First Reading found at Isaiah 58:7-10, on the Second Reading found at 1 Corinthians 2:1-5 and on the Gospel found at Matthew 5:13-16

- ✚ The First Reading says, "Then your light shall break forth like the dawn, and your wound shall quickly be healed . . ." Is there anything from your past that has created a wound? If it has not been healed, how can you open yourself up to God's healing power?
- ✚ Have you ever brought someone to Christ who needed healing? How did that experience affect you?
- ✚ St. Paul says in the Second Reading that our faith should not rest on human wisdom but on the power of God. Where does your faith rest?
- ✚ In the Gospel, Jesus tells us we are the "salt of the earth." What do you do to give flavor to the lives of others? Who gives flavor to your life? How do they do it?
- ✚ The Gospel reading also talks about letting your light shine. The things that make you unique and happy are the qualities and activities God wants you to share. What makes you unique and what makes you happy?
- ✚ Tell about a time when you let your light shine. Have there been times when you put your light under a basket? What was the result of each circumstance?
- ✚ A battery is typically used to generate light. The "battery" a Christian uses is simply prayer. Do you have a favorite prayer? What is it and what does it mean to you?

*Prayer Intentions*