



## **Life Group Discussion Questions**

### **Sermon: The Creation of Priests**

**Date: 9-10-17**

- **Just for fun: If you were one of the ancient Israelites, would you have rather been a priest or belonged to one of the other tribes?**
- **Odds are, seeing the Earth as some sort of cosmic temple or tabernacle is a new thought for most of us. How might this change the way you approach some of your daily activities? Discuss some of the implications.**
- **The clothing is what sets the priests apart. What did we say that clothing points to for humanity in general? For believers?**
- **How often do you think of “righteous dress” like this? What would you be interested in doing to remind yourself more often?**
- **Likewise, the connection between priests, statues, and kings was probably new for us. Unlike the ancient statues, humans are living, breathing images of their God. Do you tend to think of the priests merely as people who make sacrifices or to see them as 2-way mediators? How does this trickle down to your view of your own creation and salvation?**
- **“We’re all to be kings.” Discuss. (What’s the good in that? How do we twist or contort that?)**
- **We said agriculture and animal husbandry anticipate the full range of human cultural activities. This is the distinctly human way of worshiping God. How does this differ from or challenge your traditional view of worship? How does it enhance or augment your understanding?**
- **Which cultural activities (there are so many) particularly excite you as your niche or role in the global community of Image-Bearing?**
- **Discuss the idea of being saved to “reign on the earth.” How does it challenge how you typically think about life after death? How does it affect how you live here and now?**