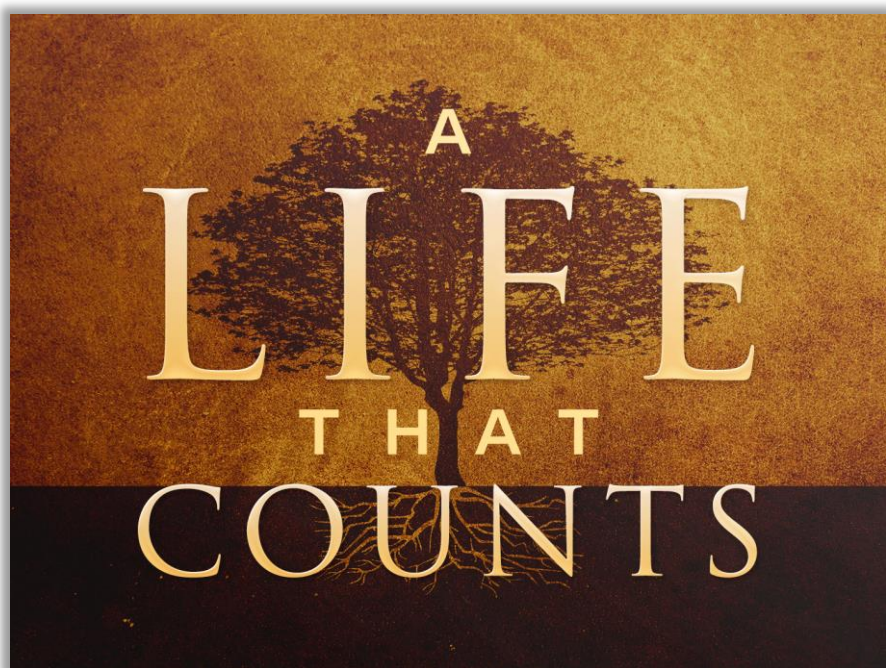




PART FOUR:
FIRST THINGS FIRST

Connect Group Discussion Guide
Sunday, February 6, 2022



RESTORATIONLIFE
CHURCH

FIRST THINGS FIRST

*Haggai 1:6; Psalm 102:25-27; John 1:1-2; Colossians 1:15-18;
Exodus 13:2, 34:19-20; Leviticus 27:30; Malachi 3:8-11; Proverbs 3:9-10*

ICE BREAKER

What movie do you wish you could watch again for the first time?

GOING DEEPER

- 1) Read Exodus 13:2 & Exodus 34:19-20. Why do you think first things are so important to God?
- 2) Read Leviticus 27:30. According to this verse, to whom does the tithe belong?
- 3) If the tithe belongs to God, do we “give” the tithe or do we “return” the tithe?
- 4) Read Malachi 3:8-11. Why is refusing to bring the tithe to the Lord the same as stealing from Him?
- 5) If you're comfortable, share a testimony of God's faithfulness when you've been obedient in tithing.

GOD'S TRUTH TO REMEMBER

Malachi 3:8–10 (NIV) - “Will a mere mortal rob God? Yet you rob me. But you ask, ‘How are we robbing you?’ In tithes and offerings. You are under a curse—your whole nation—because you are robbing me. Bring the whole tithe into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the LORD Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that there will not be room enough to store it.”

PRAYER REQUESTS

(List prayer requests here so you can pray for them all week long.)

SERMON NOTES