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Suggested Questions for Individual Study or Group Discussion*



- What are things that make it hard for you to forgive someone? Is there anything that makes it easier for you to forgive?
- Read Luke 23:33-38. How would you describe this scene?
 Drawing on your different senses, what do you imagine this moment was like for Jesus?
- To whom is Jesus speaking in v. 34? What does he ask for?
 How does this first word from the Cross align with what you would expect from someone in Jesus' position?
- About whom is Jesus speaking? Where might you see yourself in this?
- What would it be like to have Jesus say about you that you "do not know what you're doing"? How might you want to either argue or agree?
- In what ways is God's forgiveness "preemptive"? How does knowing that Jesus intercedes for your forgiveness affect the way in which you approach God?
- · How is the forgiveness of God both costly and free?
- When have you received forgiveness from another that was unexpected? How was this similar to how Jesus forgives? Was there any way it was different?
- During this season of Lent, what spiritual practice can you utilize to help you appropriate God's forgiveness? What concrete steps can you take this week? How can your small group or others support and pray for you in this?

^{*}Select or adapt questions to fit the needs and makeup of your group.