

**Religion vs Relationship**  
**Gathering Groups Discussion Questions:**

**Ice Breaker:** Go for a walk, or for a bike ride? What is your preference on a gorgeous day?

**Question #1:**

- What impacted you the most from this sermon?

**Question #2:**

- Share with the group a way that you have witnessed or experienced violence done in the name of God.
- Why is such violence a result of religion, not a result of a relationship with God?

**Question #3:**

- How have you seen violence in the name of God turn away people from the faith?

**Question #4:**

- What do you sense God saying to you through this teaching?