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TACKLING TOUGH TOPICS: THE ETHIC OF LIFE & ABORTION

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BIG IDEA: God values life, calls us to protect it, and offers abundant life through Christ.

THE ORIGIN OF LIFE AND ITS SANCTITY

Humans are created in God's image, distinguishing them from the rest of creation.

Every human life has intrinsic value, regardless of <u>ability</u> or <u>developmental</u> stage.

GOD'S COMMAND TO PROTECT LIFE

By forbidding <u>murder</u>, God underscores the sanctity of human life.

God cares about not only actions but also attitudes that harm others.

THE CALL TO LOVE AND VALUE OTHERS

Valuing life is a <u>testimony</u> of God's love and justice.

Upholding life means actively loving others through kindness and advocacy.

THE PROMISE OF ABUNDANT LIFE THROUGH CHRIST

Jesus' mission affirms God's desire for human flourishing and eternal life.

We should uphold the sanctity of physical life, and point others to eternal life in Christ.