

## ***MOVIE NIGHTS***

# **The Count of Monte Cristo (2002)**

**Genre:** Action/Drama

**Run Time:** 131 Minutes

**Rating:** Rated PG-13 for adventure violence, swordplay and some sensuality

**Plot:** When Edmond Dantes is betrayed by a friend and unjustly jailed, he spends imprisonment planning for sweet revenge. Emerging as a social elite, he wins the heart of his old love, reclaims his place in society and finally confronts the traitor.

### **Discussion Starters:**

- What makes revenge so hard to let go of?
- How would God want us to deal with serious betrayal in our lives?
- How has God led you through betrayal by a friend?
- Read Matthew 5:38-42. How might our world change if Christians more consistently applied Jesus' teaching in this passage.