
DISCUSSION GUIDE

SUNDAY APRIL 14

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday Worship Service

10AM In-Person and Online

Apr 21 Park Picnic

Grab lunch and join us for fellowship at Cortez Park after our 10AM service

May 1 Prayer Night

7:30PM at the Temple

May 12 Mother's Day

Invite all moms and kids to church!

OUR VISION

Love God.

Live Change.

Light the Ways.

OUR VALUES

God's Word: is our Narrative

We discover who God is and how we participate in his story.

Love: is our Calling

We honor and value one another above ourselves.

Serving: is our Passion

We do everything with zeal and ownership.

Prayer: is our Priority

We pray as our first response, not our last resort.

Hospitality: is our Mission

We seek opportunities to share what God has given us.



SMALL FAITH

Faith is not simply about what we do, but about who we believe. In Jesus, even small faith moves mountains. At times, stepping out into the unknown and acting upon belief over feelings can be hard to put into practice. Faith requires strength to remain patient, an understanding for the slow growth, gratitude for the mundane, and a value for the small things. When we remember that the one who makes the sun rise and the moon shine is also the one who sustains us, then we know that we don't have to have huge faith to see great miracles.

ONLINE GIVING

You can give either a one-time gift or setup re-occurring giving that fits your personal pay schedule using PushPay. There are two ways you can do this. You can go to lighthousecoc.com and click the "give" button or you can text **LCOC** to **77977** and you will receive a text message with directions to follow. Finally, you can also write a check to Lighthouse Church and mail it to 3508 East Temple Way, West Covina, CA 91791. Thank you so much for investing into the mission of Jesus Christ!

PRAYER REQUESTS

Mark Ramirez Please pray for healing for his health complications.

Amira Angulo Please pray for Amira to make a full recovery from surgery.

Andy Harrison Please pray that God would completely heal his kidneys.

Ruben Narvaez Please pray that God would heal him of cancer.

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DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Conversation Starter

- Share one high and one low from the last week.
- We started another series in the Gospel of Mark this week called Small Faith. Anthony shared that faith is like Wi-Fi. You can't see it, but it has the power to connect you to what you need. How have you seen this truth in your own faith?

Sermon Reflection

Take a moment as a group to reflect on the following questions:

- What stood out to you from the message this week?
- What encouraged you or challenged you from the message?
- You can download our Mark Journal at lighthousecoc.com

Sermon Discussion

- **Read Hebrews 11:1.** The Word of God says that faith is the substance of things hoped for and evidence of things not seen. How can you apply this verse to your daily life?

1. Faith Sees in the Seed

- **Read Mark 4:31-32** and **Matthew 17:20.** The Parable about the Mustard Seed is about small faith. When Jesus says *little faith* he is not talking about a literal size, he is conveying that even if the state of our faith is practically nonexistent, he can still use the small to do the great. A seed represents potential. What potential can the smallest of your faith see?

2. Faith Works in the Dirt

- **Read Mark 4:31-32.** Dirt can represent difficulties in our lives, but these dirt moments have a purpose. Let the dirt do the work of teaching, refining, and helping you grow stronger. Surrender to God what you are going through and be ready for him to do the unimaginable. What would you say are areas in your life where you have to let the dirt do the work?

3. Faith Rejoices in the Harvest

- **Read Mark 4:32.** Share some faith stories where you seen harvest in your life because of God.