ALONG THE WAY | WEEK 4 Date: May 7, 2023 Verses: Mark 4:35-5:43



SERIES INSIGHT

Along the Way is a series through the book of Mark! Join us as we unpack how Jesus worked and moved in the lives of people like you me on the journey of life "along the way".

ICEBREAKER

- What is a weird fact you know?
- What is an item on your bucket list that you haven't done yet, but realistically could this year?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. **Review the Message**. Looking back at your notes and upon reflecting on this weekend's message, what was your one takeaway from Sunday?
- 2. Read Mark 4:35-41. How do our emotions (such as fear) impact and/or reflect our faith?
- 3. What kinds of "storms" are in your life right now? Share with the group.
- 4. What role do followers of Jesus have in helping to restore people? Consider this question holistically, not only spiritually (example: people's hearts and minds, through example and care)?
- 5. Mercy means you don't get what you deserve. Grace means you get what you don't deserve. Considering the story from Mark 5:21-43, how does the truth of God's mercy and grace change you?
- 6. How can we be people who build up others in their identity in Christ? Why don't we do more of this? What holds you back from being consistent in this?
- 7. What is ONE thing you are committed to doing this week to encourage, empower, or inspire others about who Jesus is in you (see Col.1:27)?

PRAYER

Allow people to share requests and celebrate any praise reports as well. Consider having someone write down the requests to share with the group. Take time to pray however long your group needs.

