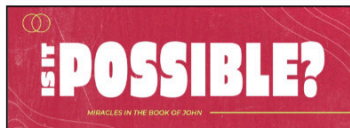


IS IT POSSIBLE? | WEEK 3

Date: August 26, 2023

Verses: John 5:1-11



SERIES INSIGHT

In the series *Is It Possible?* we're looking at the seven miracles of Jesus found in the Gospel of John. Our goal is to see more of the person and the power of Jesus.

Note to Leader/Reader: *Throughout this series, we are doing something a little different. The sermon questions below will be relatively the same for each message as each is its own stand-alone message. The same questions may be applied for each message and are designed to help participants think and consider more about the message and help make practical application to their week.*

ICEBREAKER

- What is the weirdest item you keep by your bed?
- What's the strangest purchase you've made (or almost made)?

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 over the miracle story this week. What sticks out to you about this story? How?
3. Each miracle has an opportunity for faith to be exercised or revealed. What was the opportunity of faith in this story?
4. When faith is exercised or revealed, it often exposes a place of doubt, disagreement, or disunity. What does this miracle expose?
5. From your own perspective, what was the point of this miracle?
6. In what way(s) did this message inspire hope in you? Share it with the group.
7. In what way(s) does this miracle reveal the person and the character of Jesus? How might this be important in light of the Gospel story?
8. How might we apply the purpose of this story in our lives today?
9. Who can you share with this week something that you learned/gleaned from this message?

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.



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