Introduction

(Watch Video)

Open it up to the group to see if anyone has any thoughts they want to share about what was discussed in the video.

Read

(Leader will read this text out loud asking people to listen and see what stands out or speaks to them)

John 3:3–7 (NIV) — 3 Jesus replied, "Very truly I tell you, no one can see the kingdom of God unless they are born again." 4 "How can someone be born when they are old?" Nicodemus asked. "Surely they cannot enter a second time into their mother's womb to be born!" 5 Jesus answered, "Very truly I tell you, no one can enter the kingdom of God unless they are born of water and the Spirit. 6 Flesh gives birth to flesh, but the Spirit gives birth to spirit. 7 You should not be surprised at my saying, 'You must be born again.'

Discussion Questions

- 1. Put yourself in Nicodemus shoes. Why do you think he struggled with Jesus call to be born again?
- 2. Other than Jesus command, why must we be born again?
- 3. What actually happens to us when we are born again, according to the scriptures we looked at?
- 4. Is that what happened to you? How so?
- 5. Would you call becoming a Christian a miracle? Why or why not?

Closing

All religions have moral codes and requirements. What makes Christianity different?