## **Sermon Discussion Questions**

For the Week of May 7, 2023

## **Sermon Information:**

Do You Believe? Matthew 9:18-34

The Importance of Faith

The Timing of <u>Jesus</u>

The Victory over **Death** 

## **Discussion Questions:**

- 1. Read verses 22 and 28-29 of Matthew 9. Why do you think that Jesus makes it a point to speak about the faith of these people and to state that their faith was the basis for the healings? What does this teach us about the importance of faith?
- 2. Why do you think faith is so important when it comes to our relationship with God? Consider Hebrews 11:6 (and other verses that you might think of that speak about faith) as you answer this question.
- 3. Can you think of an example of when God's timing was different from what you wanted it to be? Was it hard to trust Him in that time? Looking back now, do you have a different perspective on God's timing in that situation?
- 4. How does Jesus' victory over death give us hope and comfort in our seasons of suffering and loss? Is there someone you can share this hope and comfort with this week?