

STREET SMARTS

GROUP FOCUS QUESTIONS

Week of: May 9-15, 2021

Text: Mark 7:24-30

GETTING STARTED:

Because of life experiences, Mothers' Day can be hard for some people for a variety of reasons. For others it is a day of celebration.

What difficulty or blessing do you encounter each Mothers' Day?

DIGGING IN:

1. What is your initial reaction to this story?
2. What do you think was going through this desperate mother's mind when Jesus did not immediately heal her daughter?
3. What lessons about a relationship with God are conveyed by the words and actions of:
 - a. This mother
 - b. Jesus

DIGGING DEEPER:

1. Which of the lessons identified in the previous question is most relevant in your life right now?
2. In what way will this story affect your behavior or thoughts in the days ahead?
3. What lesson from this story, do you believe, is most needed in our community today?
4. Pretend you are the demon-possessed girl. How have you experienced the healing touch of Jesus?

PRAYER SUGGESTION:

- 1) Pray for God's anointing on Ten Mile Christian's Special Needs Ministry.
- 2) Surrender a burden that is weighing on you to our Lord's care.