

Stories That Change Everything

OPENING QUESTIONS - *Use these questions to connect with others in your group:*

1. What is the longest line you have ever waited in? What was it for/was it worth it?
2. Who in your life can grow any plant seemingly effortlessly?

KEY POINTS - *take a minute to review the key points from this weekend's message*

1. Jesus describes the kingdom of God as something small, wanting to grow, but something that needs to be planted.
2. Sometimes we need to spend intentional time in silence and solitude in prayer.
3. Oftentimes, exactly where God wants you is exactly where God will meet you.
4. Sometimes all we can do is sow and wait.

SCRIPTURES USED IN THIS MESSAGE: Mark 4: 26-29

RESPOND

Was there anything that stuck out to you about the message? Was there something that was hard, confusing, or something you really resonated with?

Has there been a situation in your life where all you could do was simply let go of control?

Why is it hard to wait on God? What do you normally do when you feel disengaged?

In what specific ways can waiting for Jesus to work in your life or a situation be beneficial in your circumstances?

APPLY

As a group, try spreading out around the room. Spend at least 10 minutes in intentional silence. Try not to read, pray, or do anything. Simply listen to God and have God listen to you. Afterwards, you can talk about your experience.

PRAY