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Main Text: Mark 9:14-29

Optional Ice Breaker

Share with the group a cause or organization that you fully support and have given yourself to and why.

The BIG IDEA How to give (your) kids/grandkids to Jesus

Getting in the Word

Read Mark chapter 9:1-29, discuss what is happening in versus 1-13 and what does Jesus, Peter, James and John return to in verses 9-16?

What were the scribes ridiculing the disciples about? What was the man whose child was suffering saying about the disciples to Jesus?

What is the difference between giving your child to people who know Jesus (the church) and actually giving your child to Jesus? What does Jesus tell the father to do in verse 19 and why is that important?

We know the boy was struggling with epileptic like symptoms, but how do we know he was dealing with demonic possession? What verses teach us this?

This man is so connected to his son's suffering that he asks Jesus to help "us." How does this man show he is having a crisis of faith by what he says in verse 22? How does Jesus respond to this man question?

What did this father confess he needed help with and how does that connect to his son being healed? What was the game changing moment, the son being healed or the man confessing his need to Jesus?

Read Ephesians 2:8, how do we overcome unbelief and grow in our faith?

Kids learn more by what they see us to do than by what we tell them. What do the kids or people in your life learn from you when it comes to reading the bible, serving others, and worshipping Jesus?

The BIG Question Is: Have you fully given yourself to Jesus?