

Small Group Discussion

The Week of:

Feb. 17, 2021

What's your life like?

Can we talk about winter for a minute and how INSANE it is? It's been seriously cold. Go around and share your thoughts about winter. Are you a fan of it or not? Why or why not?

What are we talking about this week?

Even if you try to avoid them, some issues in middle school just show up. Peer pressure, romance, doubt—we're tackling them all in series. Because if you aren't dealing with these yet, they're definitely on approach! This week we'll talk about how to approach our doubts.

Key verse: John 20:24-29

- 1. What stood out to you from this week's message?
- 2. What is doubt? What are some examples of doubts that people might have about God, Jesus, the church, etc.?
- 3. How does it feel to know that even the people closest to Jesus had doubts?
- 4. Daniel said, "Doubt can actually lead to deeper faith." What does that mean? Do you agree with that? Why or why not?
- 5. How can being honest about our doubts help us tackle them?
- 6. What's one of the worst things we can do when we experience doubt?
- 7. What does it mean to doubt your doubts? What does that look like?

Now what?

Leader reminder: You don't have to have all the answers! Students will ask questions you don't have answers to. That's okay! The key is creating an environment where questions can be asked and committing to exploring answers together. And sometimes, just being heard is exactly what a student needs. Have you created a safe environment for students to bring their questions? Make sure students know that you are here to talk about any doubts they may be having now or in the future. Thanks for investing in the students of our church! What you are doing is so important.