

Discussion Guide

Discussion Guides accompany the [weekly message](#).

Opening Activity:

When was the last time you felt God might be asking you to do something, but your first instinct was to make excuses or hope someone else would do it? What made you hesitant?

Read:

Exodus 3:1-6

Exodus 3:10-14

Exodus 4:1-17

Discussion Questions:

1. In Exodus 3:1-6, Moses encounters God through the burning bush. What stands out to you about the way God gets Moses' attention, and what does it reveal about who God is?
2. God tells Moses to take off his sandals because he is standing on holy ground. Why do you think we can lose awareness of God's holiness and presence in everyday life?
3. Moses' first question is, "Who am I?" Where do you most often struggle with feeling unqualified, inadequate, or disqualified?
4. God answers Moses' insecurity by saying, "I will be with you." Why is God's presence a better foundation than our confidence, talent, or experience?
5. When Moses asks God, "Who are you?" God answers, "I am who I am." How does knowing God is unchanging, sovereign, and self-sufficient reshape the way we see ourselves?
6. The message said, "You never know who you are until you truly know God." What false labels or past failures can people begin to live under when they forget who God says they are?
7. Moses asks, "What if they don't believe me?" What fear most often keeps you from obeying God: fear of failure, rejection, not being ready, or something else?
8. God gives Moses signs using ordinary things like his staff. What ordinary part of your life might God be asking you to surrender and use for His purposes?
9. Moses eventually says, "Please send someone else." Where are you most tempted to say that to God right now?
10. The message described Moses and other biblical figures as broken but still called by God. If you truly believed God could use you as imperfect but called, what is one specific thing that would look different in your life this week?

Challenge for the Week:

Identify one area where you have been debating with God, delaying obedience, or saying, "Send someone else." Pray honestly about it, then take one concrete step of obedience this week. Write down what you notice, and be ready to share how God met you in that step next week.