

House Church Gathering Discussion Questions
Sunday September 6, 2026
“Where Do I Start?” — (The Clean-Slate Curiosity)

Scripture: Mark 10:13-16

13 People were bringing little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them, but the disciples rebuked them. 14 When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, “Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these. 15 Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it.” 16 And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.”

Summary: “Where Do I Start?” this question invites everyone to explore faith without feeling pressured to have all the answers. In reading Mark 10:13–16, we see Jesus welcoming children and showing that the kingdom of God is open to those who approach Him with humility, trust, and curiosity. For people who are unfamiliar with Christianity, the church should be a safe place to ask honest questions, explore who Jesus is, and discover what faith is about. Rather than requiring people to believe everything before they belong, we invite them to begin with curiosity and take their next step toward Jesus. The central message is simple: **You don’t have to have faith figured out before you come to Jesus—you can start with a question.**

Discussion Questions:

1. When you hear the word “God,” what is the first thing that comes to mind?
2. What questions about God or Christianity have you never felt comfortable asking?
3. What do you think a church should be for someone who is searching?
4. What do you notice about the way Jesus treats the children in this story?
5. If you could ask Jesus one question, what would it be?