

That You May Believe

DISCUSSION GUIDE | May 31, 2026

BIG IDEA

Jesus invites us to believe, not just hope.

Message title: *When Water Became Wine*

Scripture reading: John 2:1-11 NIV

Jesus' first sign at Cana was a defining moment that revealed His identity and foreshadowed the new relationship He would make possible between God and His people through His death and resurrection. It remains the first defining moment for anyone beginning to believe.

- 1. John calls Jesus' miracles "signs" rather than simply miracles. What is the difference, and why do you think that distinction matters?*
- 2. Have you ever felt like faith and reason were in conflict? What has most shaped your view of the relationship between evidence and belief?*
- 3. The sermon argues that Jesus does not ask people to "stop asking questions and just believe." How does that challenge or affirm your understanding of faith?*
- 4. Why do you think John was so intentional about recording specific signs while leaving many others out? What does that tell us about his purpose in writing?*
- 5. Where might God be inviting you to take a next step even though you don't have every answer?*

THIS WEEK'S CHALLENGE

This week, read John chapters 3 and 4 slowly and ask yourself what John was trying to show His readers about who Jesus is.