



Message-based Small Group Lesson

Amazing Faith

Luke 7:1-10

Opening

1. Share a time when someone you cared about deeply had a desperate need. How did it make you feel?
2. Share a time in your own life when extraordinary faith was required of you.

Interaction with the text

1. As you read through Luke 7:1-10 what are some characteristics of the centurion that stand out to you? How would you describe him?
2. Read Philippians 2:3-7.
3. How were these character traits of Jesus displayed in this passage?

4. While people often “marveled” at Jesus, only twice is Jesus said to have marveled at something (this passage and Mark 6:1-6, ESV, “amazed” in NIV). Read both of these stories and compare and contrast what Jesus “marveled” at.
5. When you hear the words of the centurion, “But say the word, and let my servant be healed” (Luke 7:7 ESV), what do you learn about faith? What does Hebrews 11:6 tell us?

Application to life

1. What in your life would you say Jesus might “marvel” at? Would it be due to your faith or unbelief?
2. Name a circumstance in your present life where you feel like you have no control.
3. What is one “next step” you could take this week to trust God more in faith?