

Mountains Still Move

Mountain Mover, Matthew 17:14-20

March 26, 2023

Community Group Discussion Questions

PLEASE READ BEFORE LEADING DISCUSSION

- Recommended questions are highlighted in bold, but **select 5 or 6 questions** you think will work best for your group discussion. You likely won't have time to discuss all of the questions so choose which questions you will ask ahead of time and make sure to provide plenty of time to focus on the application questions.
- Feel free to edit or reword questions to best fit your group.
- You may want to print out copies of this document for everyone so they can follow along with the questions as you read them.
- Check out this Facilitation Guide (<http://bit.ly/CGFacilitationGuide>) for tips on leading good discussions.

ICEBREAKER (5-10 Minutes)

1. Share your name and answer the following question:
 - What is the highest mountain you've ever been to or hiked?

OPENING THE DISCUSSION (5-10 Minutes) – *Have someone recap the message in about a minute or two and then ask the following questions:*

2. How did Sunday's message and service impact you? In what ways were you challenged or encouraged in your faith?

DIGGING DEEPER (10 Minutes) – *ask everyone to follow along in their Bible or Bible app. You might consider looking up these passages online and sharing your screen to review them together.*

3. Read Matthew 17:14-20.
 - What thoughts or questions does this passage bring to your mind?
 - In verse 17 Jesus calls out that generation for their lack of faith. In what ways do Christian's today show their lack of faith in God?
4. Reread Matthew 17:20.
 - In what areas of your life do you long to have more faith?

APPLYING IT (10-20 Minutes)

5. Where do your actions need to align with your belief that God can do anything?
6. We desire to saturate Rochester with the Gospel. If you truly believe no one is beyond God's reach, who are you praying will place their faith in Jesus? What can you do to share your faith with them?

PRAYER (10-20 Minutes)

7. Spend time praying together for the Brighton Campus launch and the spread of the Gospel across our region.