

CALVARY WEEKLY DISCUSSION GUIDE

March 7, 2021



CONNECT

Spend some time checking in. What are highs and lows since you last met? How can your group members pray for and support each other this week?

GROW

- Talk about experiences you've had when your *expectations* did not match up with *reality*.
- Be honest, and think about a time God didn't meet your expectations. Have you doubted God's presence in those times? Have experiences of isolation contributed to those feelings of doubt?
- Read about Moses ([Exodus 3:1-15](#)) and John the Baptist ([Matthew 11:1-10](#)). What do you hear in their stories of doubt?
- How do you feel when you hear: "Doubt is *not* the opposite of faith"? Can you embrace doubt *as a part* of faith? Why or why not?
- How can you remind each other that even though you have doubts, God does not doubt you?

PRAY

Dear God, if we're honest, it's easy for us to doubt your presence at times. We have certain expectations, and reality just doesn't match up. We experience pain and loss, and it's hard for us to see that you're there. But God, remind us that just because we have doubts, that doesn't mean you aren't present. Thank you for reminding us, that you never doubt us, and you'll never stop working through us. Amen.

