I'VE GOT QUESTIONS

AN ADVENT SERMON SERIES



CONVERSATION STARTER

What is your favorite Christmas tradition?

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Read Luke 1:5-25, 57-80

1. What does Zechariah and Elizabeth's story teach us about the relationship between faithfulness to God and the difficult circumstances we experience?

2. Have you ever experienced a season of waiting on God? What made it difficult, and how did that season affect your faith?

3. Pastor Josh reminded us that God's silence doesn't mean he's absent. Why is this an important truth to remember? What are some ways we can remain faithful when God seems silent?

4. Zechariah struggled to believe the angel's promise because of his and Elizabeth's circumstances. What can cause us to doubt God's promises or question his faithfulness? How do our circumstances sometimes influence what we believe about God?

5. What specific promises of God do you find yourself needing to remember in this season of life? How can remembering those promises change the way you approach your circumstances?

6. Why is Jesus the ultimate demonstration of God's faithfulness? How does the gospel give us confidence when we're tempted to doubt God?

7. As you reflect on the sermon, what is one practical step you can take this week to live out trusting God's faithfulness?

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PRAYER PROMPT

Take a moment to reflect on where you may be struggling to trust God's faithfulness. Maybe you're in a season of waiting, wrestling with doubt, or wondering what God is doing. Share with your group how you need to be reminded of God's faithfulness, and then spend time praying for one another to trust in God's promises, even when you can't see how or when they will be fulfilled.