



Believing Rightly

JOHN 4:43-54

"So Jesus said to him, 'Unless you see signs and wonders you will not believe.'" (John 4:48, ESV)

Opening Discussion

When someone says, "I believe in Jesus," what might they mean?

Review the Sermon

Read John 4:43-54.

What was wrong with the Galileans' "welcome" of Jesus?

What were the two components to Jesus' word to the official and the official's response in v50?

How does faith based on knowing who Jesus is, rather than looking for what he does, change the way we live and respond to circumstances?

Assess your Life

If Jesus never changed one of your circumstances, would you still trust him?

When you face a major challenge, do you run to Jesus because you trust him? Or do you run to Jesus primarily to fix your problem?



What happens to your faith in the difficult seasons of life? (discouragement, anxiety, disappointment, grief, etc.)

Apply the Truth

What is one “what I want Jesus to do for me” expectation that you can surrender to “who Jesus is”?

How can you more effectively lean into who Jesus is for more consistent trust and obedience?

How can you help others understand the difference between counterfeit belief and real Christian faith?

Commit this Week

This week I will trust Jesus even when circumstances don't go the way I would choose.

“The father knew that was the hour when Jesus had said to him, “Your son will live.” And he himself believed, and all his household.” (John 4:53, ESV)