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Exodus 17: 1-7

Mark 3:1-6

What's the sickest or most injured you've ever been?

JD states we don't choose Jesus, Jesus chooses us. He tells us in the parable of the prodigal son that it is the father that seeks out the son... comes running to get him.

- When did you feel the Father in heaven coming to find you?
- How did it feel?

The cross is now a symbol of glory and mercy and Grace. But it hasn't always been so. Dundee even put in the cross window going against trends of the time, when people were afraid to offend others with religious symbols.

- What do you think and feel when you see a cross?
- Do you ever thank God for what He did on the cross when you see one?

The Israelites had seen God do amazing things in Egypt and in the wilderness. But one day they were without water, and they complained. God had not forgotten the water; this wasn't a moment where God said "Oops!"

- Do you ever feel that God has forgotten something in your life?
- What helps you remember that's not true?

When are we ever going to celebrate God if we can't celebrate the miraculous and the ordinary?

When asked "What is heaven like?" JD reminds us that it is full of people singing and praising Jesus and God.

- What is your idea of heaven?
- Do you realize, like those in heaven, that we don't deserve to be there?
- How do you feel knowing that?

Without examination traditions become dull.

- How often do you examine your traditions?
- How can you help others examine theirs?

How will you give God room in your life this week?