

Wrestling with God – Breaking Free

Weekend Discussion Questions

August 1-2, 2015

Community:

1. We wrapped up the series “*Wrestling with God*” this past weekend. How has this series been helpful, difficult or insightful to you?
2. Young Adult Pastor Jordan Terrell shared his story of wrestling with God over the weekend. Could you relate to any part of his story? If so, what part?

Core:

1. **Read Mark 5:1-20.** As you read through this story, could you identify with anyone in it? The demon-possessed man? The people in town? Jesus?
2. The demon-possessed man was living in a graveyard—obviously not where he thought or hoped he’d end up. What areas of your life haven’t ended up like you hoped?
3. Jordan told his story of living a life where he was consumed, and driven, by the voice(s) in his head telling him he wasn’t good enough and that he was going to fail. Do you have voices telling you things that aren’t true too? What are they telling you?
4. How is your life impacted (and the lives of those around you) when you begin to believe those lies in your head? How is it driving your life, your relationships, your work and your finances?
5. If you were the devil, what would you do to try and destroy you?
6. Jordan said, “*If we choose to reveal, God will show up and heal.*” What are some things you need to reveal in order for God to heal? What’s stopping you from revealing this to someone trusted and close to you?

Challenge:

If you’re struggling with voices in your head telling you lies, telling you you’re not good or you’re not worth it, take the time to fill your heart and head with the *truth!* Read through (and pray through) the following Bible verses:

- 1) **Jeremiah 29:11**
- 2) **1 Corinthians 2:9**
- 3) **Revelation 21:4**
- 4) **Proverbs 19:21.**

