



This guide is meant to equip you with discussion questions and conversation starters that you can use throughout the week to continue the conversation about what you and your kids learned on Sunday.

## Conversation Starters

*These are things you can talk about with your kids to help further the conversation about what they may have learned on Sunday.*

- 1. How does the Roman army example show us what a strong Christian community looks like? Why is it important to stand together and support each other?**
- 2. What are some things that can make it hard to be part of a caring, close community, like the one Pastor Ryan and Alison talked about?**

## ***Following our Rabbi Jesus - Part 2: Summary (10/27/2024)***

*In case you missed it, or if you just need a refresher, here's a quick summary of what we talked about this week in the sermon:*

In their sermon, Ryan and Alison Strange talk about how following Jesus means building a strong, caring community and staying devoted to God. They explain that the early church was all about helping each other, learning, praying, and being together, just like Jesus taught. Using the example of a Roman army, they show how each person's role makes the church stronger. They encourage everyone to build close friendships with others who love Jesus and to remember that we grow spiritually not just by ourselves, but with others. They inspire us to embrace our imperfections and grow closer to God and each other.

- 3. How do things like praying together and helping others help us grow closer to God and stronger in our faith?**
- 4. Why is it special that we can each have our own relationship with God? How does this help us see others in our community differently?**
- 5. How can we help make our church community a place where everyone feels cared for and welcome, even when things aren't perfect?**
- 6. What are some ways we can work together as a church to grow in our faith, just like the early church did?**
- 7. How can building friendships with other Christians help us get closer to God and learn more about following Jesus?**