



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 can we protect our minds from bad thoughts and things that might lead us away from God, like Pastor Jeff talked about?**
- 2. What are some good ways to replace negative thoughts with positive ones that follow what the Bible teaches?**

Sermon Summary (10/06/2024)

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 this sermon, Pastor Jeff uses Romans 12:1-2 to talk about how real change comes from a transformed heart and mind, not just information. He explains that as Christians, we are motivated by God's love and mercy, not fear. Pastor shares stories to show that we are called to live our faith through love and sacrifice and describes two ways God transforms us: quickly through breakthroughs or slowly over time, like cooking in a crock pot. By filling our minds with scripture and focusing on God, change is possible, and we can experience the full life Jesus promises.

- 3. Why do you think being thankful is more important in Christianity than being scared of God? How does this help us get closer to Him?**
- 4. How can reading the Bible help change our lives, as Pastor Jeff mentioned?**
- 5. How can we support each other in growing our faith, like the pastor said with friends?**
 - This reminds us of what Pastor said about how having friends and helping each other makes our faith stronger.