

At The Movies!

At the Movies – Week 2 (Fantastic Four: First Steps)

There's more happening in these stories than meets the eye. At The Movies is a chance to discover how popular movies point to something greater—and how your story is part of it.

Conversation Starter: *Have some fun as you break the ice.*

- What's your favorite super hero movie and why? Or why don't you like super hero movies?

Key Scriptures: *Let God's word frame the conversation. Take a minute to read this selected passage together as a Group.*

- Ephesians 6:10-12

Discussion Questions: Pick a few questions below to guide your time.

Start Sharing: *Choose a question or two to create openness.*

- What is your typical first reaction when you experience conflict – especially with another person?
- Name a time when you invited someone you trust into a situation to help you. How did that make a difference in the situation?

Start Thinking: *Choose a question or two to think critically about the subject.*

- Have you ever considered what John said in the message that the devil has a strategy? How does that knowledge inform we see yourself and others when conflict comes up?
- Have you ever faced a situation that felt like a no win scenario? What did you do?

Make it Personal: *Choose a question or two to help you identify your best next step.*

- What if anything is keeping you from confessing your sins and struggles with someone else?
- Why is it difficult for us to pray "search me" when we're in conflict with someone else?

Next Steps: Everybody has a next step. Check out some ideas below to help you grow by doing.

- Share a weakness, sin or struggle you're facing with someone else this week and ask for advice and prayer.
- Spend even a minute or two each day this week to pray and ask God to search your heart and reveal anything He wants you to change.

Prayer: *Invite God to do what only He can do.*

- *God, thank you so much that we do not have to do life alone. That you love us, forgive us and give us other people to speak into our lives. Give us the courage to invite people in...*