



## DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM CURRICULUM GUIDE

If The Tomb is Empty: Wk 6, Mount of Transfiguration  
April 7 – April 10, 2022

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### LEADER NOTES

#### **Stay Connected | [coe22.com/leaderresources](https://coe22.com/leaderresources)**

We would love to stay connected and help you disciple your group! Sign up [HERE](#) to receive text messages from our Disciple Groups ministry team about tools, resources and upcoming leader events!

#### **RSVP Coach & Leader Gathering | All Campus | Monday May 2 at 6pm**

Come be encouraged, equipped and empowered as you make disciples as a group leader or coach. Dinner and childcare will be provided. Invite the person(s) you are raising up to be sent out to lead their own group! [Go to \[coe22.com/coachandleader\]\(https://coe22.com/coachandleader\)](https://coe22.com/coachandleader) and tell us YES or NO. We'd like to know either way

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS – WHAT IS YOUR NEXT STEP?

To stay connected to all that God is doing in and through The Church of Eleven22, visit [coe22.com/news](https://coe22.com/news).

#### **#ONEMORE Weekend | Easter Services**

Join us, and invite your #onemore, as we celebrate the empty tomb and resurrection of our King Jesus! Easter services are being held on Thursday, Saturday and Sunday. Learn more at [coe22.com/easter](https://coe22.com/easter).

#### **Serve Opportunity Beach Baptism Serving Opportunity | All Groups Invited**

At Beach Baptism, we roll out the red carpet for those publicly proclaiming their faith in Jesus Christ. Help make this an incredible experience by joining one of our serve staff teams. Go to [coe22.com/beachbaptism](https://coe22.com/beachbaptism).

#### **Serve Opportunity Lent & Easter Donation Drive**

Partner with Salvation Army for a Lent & Easter Donation Drive! Items such as socks, tee shirts, and underwear (any size) are needed for men entering transitional housing. Easter items such as toys, books, handheld games, and hygiene items are needed for Easter baskets for children living in the Red Shield Lodge. No candy please! Learn more at [coe22.com/localoutreach](https://coe22.com/localoutreach).

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### THIS WEEK'S READING PLAN: [coe22.com/readingplan](https://coe22.com/readingplan)

Sunday – Matthew 17:1-9

Monday – Mark 9:14-29

Tuesday – Acts 3:11-16

Wednesday – Jeremiah 32:27; Luke 18:27

Thursday – Matthew 17:14-20

Friday – Psalm 77:13-14

Saturday – Luke 13:10-17

## LOOKING BACK:

WHAT HAPPENED IN YOUR LIFE THIS PAST WEEK: (*Check-in, Encourage & Pray.*)

- What “it is written...s” did you choose to write out? Have you started to memorize any of them?
- Where did you struggle this past week?

If the Tomb is Empty – Mount of Transfiguration – Will You Cast Out the Demons That Torment You?

**The Point:** God does not reveal Himself to us so that we can sit and soak it up on the mountain top, but so that we can be sent and serve on Mission.

SERMON TEXT: Matthew 17:1-9

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## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

### **DISCOVER**

Have someone read Matthew 17:1-9 and then use the questions as a guide for discussion.

- **What did you learn about the miracles that occurred on top of the mountain?** (*Jesus chose this moment to display his glory, considering that he had shrouded for 33 years. Jesus is the fulfillment of the Law of Moses and the Prophets like Elijah.*)
- **Jesus chose to take only three of his disciples with Him up the mountain without explanation. Why is it important for believers to recognize the difference between worldly fairness and God's justice even when we don't understand the outcome?** (*Pastor Joby shared ideas that Jesus brought Peter, James, and John because they were always getting into trouble while others think it's because those three were Jesus's favorites. Regardless, God does what He wants when He wants for whom He wants in His perfect, sovereign character. Fairness is not a biblical value, which is good for all of us who believe, because eternal fire in hell is what would be fair for of us as sinners. Anything else is because of God's grace and mercy.*)
- **Why does God invite us into worship, or mountain-top experiences, where we feel His manifest presence, and how do mountaintops impact those around us when we come down from them?** (*God does not reveal himself to us so that we can sit and soak on the mountaintop, but so that we can serve and be sent on mission. Whether you are on the mountaintop or in the valley, God is still with you and speaking. Because God is unchanging, the reality is He is the exact same in your life right now as He was on the mountaintop.*)

### **DEEPEN**

*In light of what we have discovered through God's word and discussed above, let's go deeper and discuss how we can apply these truths to our lives!*

Read Mark 9:14-29, not as a story, but as a real-life event. Use the following questions to discuss.

- How can you relate to the statement, “I believe; help my unbelief”? How can we as your group believe with you and pray for you in this area?

- Why are the demons the first to recognize Jesus and religious people the last?
- If the Holy Spirit left your house, how long would it take you to notice?
- Do you believe in demons? How might the following be symptoms of demonic influence: marriage problems, depression, suicidal thoughts, constant fear/anxiety, inner wounds that won't heal and condemnation.

## ACTION STEP

**A Disciple...Loves All People, Discovers Identity in Jesus, Deepens Relationship with Jesus.**

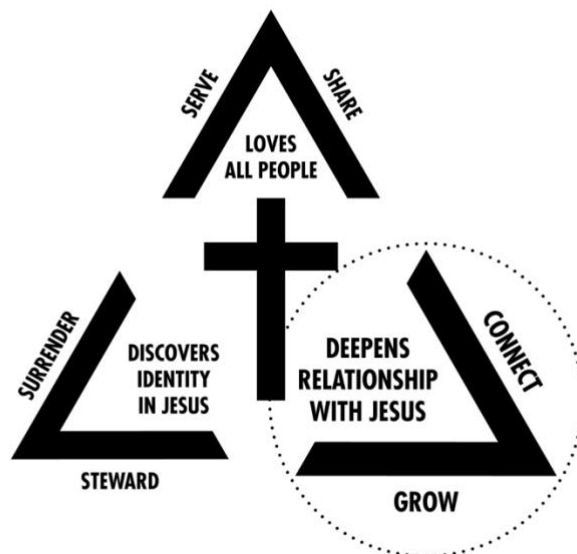
**This Week:** Consider how, at both the baptism and transfiguration of Jesus, the Father showed up and said, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." On the mountain, God the Father added a command to "listen to him." How well are you listening to the Holy Spirit in your prayer time?

- **I will** spend five minutes NOT speaking, just listening to God this week
- Text the group about your "silent" experience afterwards

Additional Resources:

- **Deepen With Pastor Joby – Season 3:** Join us as Pastor Joby and other special guests continue the conversation after each week's sermon. New podcast episodes drop every Monday. Learn more at [coe22.com/deepen](http://coe22.com/deepen).
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