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IT'S NOT OVER
Discussion Guide

BIG IDEA

Just because we don't perceive that Jesus is moving doesn't mean that Jesus is not working. Have you been in a situation where you thought things could not turn around for good? Maybe you are in that season now, and you feel hurt, disappointed, and forgotten. In this week's sermon, Pastor TJ Williams gives an amazing message about mindset shifts and tools to use when we are experiencing pain and frustration with life.

SCRIPTURES USED IN THE MESSAGE

- John 11:1-4, 6, 20-22, 32, 39-43
- Jeremiah 29:11
- 1 Peter 5:8
- John 10:10
- 2 Timothy 1:7

TALK IT OVER

Choose questions that keep the discussion moving. No need to discuss every question.

- What are you experiencing now that has the potential to grow your faith?
- How do the people you most often talk to respond to hardships? How do you respond? How can you be reminded that Jesus is at work, even if there is no proof?
- Truth is on the other side of the lies. How do you seek the truth when life is the darkest? What lies does our opponent, the devil, try to tell you that make you want to quit? What advantage do you have over your opponent?
- In what area of your life do you need to get some "even now" faith about (John 11:22) so you won't give up?

APPLICATION IDEAS

- Find a scripture to meditate on that speaks to your situation. Meditate on that truth instead of the lies from the enemy.

PRAYER FOCUS

At Lifepoint, we pray until something happens. Make time in every group meeting to pray for one another and the larger matters of concern to your group.

- Ask God to reveal the people in your circle who are speaking death instead of life. Ask Him to give you the courage to distance yourself from those people and to develop healthy boundaries.

LEADER TIPS

- At the end of the discussion, ask members to share the key takeaways they received. This will serve to reinforce the discussion as well as tell you what they believed was most important to them.