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Mark 3:1-6 Courage to be Healed by Jesus

Campaigners Help Sheet

CAMPAIGNER TIPS

Keep it similar to cabin time at camp:

Sit in a circle on the floor (no lying down)

Confidentiality (unless someone is in danger)

Only one person talks at a time

Respect each other, don't make fun

Open ended questions

Close in prayer

Mark 3:1-6

1 And He entered again into a synagogogue; and a man was there with a withered hand. 2 And they were watching Him to see if He would heal him on the Sabbath, in order that they might accuse Him. 3 And He said to the man with the withered hand, "Stand up and come forward!" 4 And He said to them, "Is it lawful on the Sabbath to do good or to do harm, to save a life or to kill?" But they kept silent. 5 And after looking around at them with anger, grieved at their hardness of heart, He said to the man, "Stretch out your hand." And he stretched it out, and his hand was restored. 6 And the Pharisees went out and immediately began taking counsel with the Herodians against Him, as to how they might destroy Him.

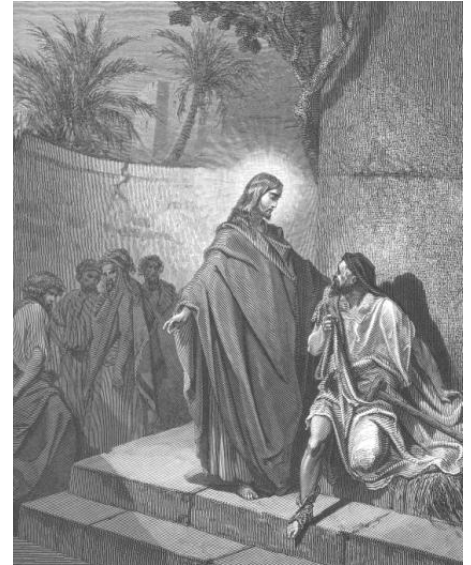
Intro questions:

- Is there stuff in your life that you don't want people to know about?
- What are some things that you try to hide in your life?
- Is there a difference between being mad and angry? Why or why not?

Read Mark 3:1-6

Questions about the scripture

- What do you think about religious rules?
- As you look at how Jesus acted in this situation, what did you like, dislike or love about Jesus?
- There are people who are "testing" Jesus – what are they testing him about? Why? Who are they?
- What would you have been feeling if you were the man with the shriveled hand?
- Why does Jesus feel angry, grieved?
- Why would Herod's crew now want to "have Jesus put out of their way?"
- Could Mark 3:1-6 connect to the Cross? How?



Questions for application

- If you had something you needed to fix in your life, do you think that Jesus could heal it?
- Do you truly think Jesus wants to fix you? Or are you not worth his time?
- What is a way Jesus has asked you to "stand up" in front of others?
- What is a way you have "come up front" this year in Young Life?
- If Jesus were to ask you to "stretch out the most needy/embarrassing part of your life for Him to heal" what would it be? Can we pray for you tonight?
- What good can you do for others at your school, that you know you should do, but you just have not done it for one reason or another?