

A Small Beginning

God's Kingdom Come | Isaiah 11:1-10

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SMALL GROUP STUDY QUESTIONS

1. How does Isaiah 11 challenge your expectations of God's power and methods?
2. Where is God working quietly in your life?
3. What small step of obedience could you take this week to participate in God's Kingdom?
4. How can you reflect God's Spirit-led righteousness in your relationships?

PERSONAL REFLECTION QUESTIONS

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3. What is one humble, Spirit-led act I can do this week to advance God's Kingdom?

FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP GUIDE

Activity:

Plant a seed in a cup and watch it grow, reflecting God's Kingdom starting small.

Discussion Questions:

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