

Best Weekend Ever

Saturday Morning Small Group

Bottom Line: We've all felt shame and hidden from God

Key Text: Genesis 3:8–10

In Large Group Recap

This morning we looked at the story of Adam and Eve. After they sinned, their first reaction was to hide from God. We often do the same thing. When we mess up, we feel fear or shame and try to cover it up, hoping no one will find out. But hiding only makes the “bricks” in our bag heavier. God still calls out to us, “Where are you?” inviting us to be honest with Him.

Question from Stage:

What causes you to feel you need to run and hide from God?

Discussion Guide

1. Warm-Up

- What is one thing from large group this morning that stuck with you?
- During your quiet time, what did you notice about how it feels to carry a “brick” or why people might want to hide one?

2. Dig Deeper

- Why do you think our first reaction is often to hide when we do something wrong?
- Adam said he hid because he was afraid. What kinds of things do kids your age fear when it comes to being honest about mistakes?
- How can secrets or hidden struggles feel like bricks in a bag that keep getting heavier?

3. Apply It

- What do you think God wants us to do instead of hiding?
- How does it help to know that God already knows everything about us, and still invites us to come to Him?
- If you imagine life without having to hide, what would be different?

4. Close in Prayer

Pray for your group, asking God to help each person trust Him more and to remind them that they never have to hide from His love.