That You May Believe

Unexpected Believers

* Have you ever had a unique or precarious moment where you had to trust in someone else’s ability?

*As we continue our journey with Jesus through the Gospel of John, we see Jesus two distinct groups of people; Those who believe Jesus “because of His word,” and those who seek “signs and wonders.”*

**Read John 4:39-42**

* Why would the Samaritans be considered ‘unexpected believers’?

**Read John 4:43-44 & John 7:3-5**

* What did Jesus mean when he pointed out that a ‘a prophet has no honor in his own country’?

**Read John 4:46-48**

*Many times, we encourage people that doubts are okay, and that God is not afraid of our questions. Yet, in this instance we see Jesus display frustration with people asking for signs and wonders.*

* What is the difference between asking for ‘signs and wonders’ and having doubt about God? Is it okay to have doubts?
* Why did Jesus perform miracles?

**Read John 4:49-54**

* What first motivated you to get to church? What kept you coming back?
* Even though the man was asking for a sign, how did he trust Jesus’ words?
* What is an area of your life you can be better at trusting Jesus’ words?