

July 23, 2023P

*Miracles of Jesus*  
**Signs (John 11)**

*See the signs of God and take steps of faith.*

*Warmup: Which road sign do you tend to ignore?*

**READ John 11**

- Explain the relationship between Jesus, Martha, Mary, and Lazarus. What is Mary's backstory?
- The disciples questioned Jesus when he said he was returning to Judea, but Jesus persisted. What character lessons is Jesus teaching his disciples as He performs miracles?
- What is God saying to you in these verses?

**REFLECT**

- Mary and Martha knew Jesus could perform miracles. How did they anticipate Jesus helping their brother? In what area of your life have you expected "less" from Jesus than what He actually did for you?
- The expectation of the disciples was staying safe . . . convincing Jesus to not go to Judea. The expectation of Mary and Martha was for Jesus to immediately come and heal their brother. How do signs from God affect your expectations of how He will work in you and around you?
- How is the Spirit speaking to you right now?

**RESPOND**

- What God experience in your life has made Him "real" to you? "Real" meaning, beyond head knowledge. After your faith experience, how did you respond to God differently?
- How will you respond to God's signs of faithfulness in your life? Will you step out in faith by joining a Team, asking someone to join you for coffee, inviting a Young Adult to share a meal, inviting a neighbor to Life Group? Tell someone in your Life Group how you will respond to God's faithfulness to you by reaching out to someone this week.
- How is the Spirit leading you to respond this week?

*"To transform religious and irreligious people into Fully Devoted Followers of Christ."*