HOLY GHOST STORIES

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WEEK 4 - THE MASK | SUNDAY, 10/25

What does he want with me?

OPENING QUESTIONS

• What's the best - or most questionable - costume you've ever worn? Was it intentional, last-minute, or someone else's fault?

• What's something you once had a very strong opinion about and have completely changed your mind on? Food, fashion, music, parenting - anything goes.

GROUP QUESTIONS

1. What's a label people give you that fits? What's one that misses something important about you?

2. When you discover you're wrong, what's your first instinct: defend yourself, get quiet, laugh, or ask questions?

Read Acts 9:1-19 in the NLT.

3. Saul was deeply convinced he was doing the right thing. Why can sincerity and certainty make it difficult to recognize when we need to change?

4. Ananias knows Saul's reputation, yet approaches him as "Brother Saul." What would it take to welcome someone you had good reason to fear or distrust? What might that welcome have meant to Saul?

5. Is there a story you tell about yourself that leaves little room for God to give you a different future? It might begin with "I've always been…" or "I could never…"

6. Where are you willing to let Jesus challenge your certainty or reshape your direction? What is one next step you can take toward trusting him there?

PRAYER FOCUS Ask for willingness to receive the new life and purpose Jesus offers.