



April 19th, 2026
Small Group Discussion Questions

Getting Started

Take some time to catch up and connect as a group. Pray before discussion.
Expect God to move through your time together!

Pacing Your Group

Move quickly through “observation” leaving enough time for “reflection”, “discussion”, and “surrender.”

Scripture Reading

Re-read the scripture passages as needed when you discuss the questions.

Observation: *What do the scripture passages say? Read 1 Kings 17*

1. What specific commands does God give Elijah in verses 2–9, and how does Elijah respond each time?
 2. How does God provide for both Elijah and the widow, and what pattern do you notice about how that provision comes (vv. 4–6, 14–16)?
 3. In verses 17–24, how does Elijah respond to the death of the widow’s son, and what role does prayer play in the outcome?
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Reflection and Discussion: *What are some first thoughts flowing from the scriptures?*

How do the scriptures connect to everyday life?

4. Where in your life are you tempted to seek influence, control, or “platform” without first embracing dependence on God in private?
 5. When God’s direction feels confusing, uncomfortable, or even risky (like Elijah going to the brook or the widow giving her last meal), how do you typically respond—and what would trusting God more deeply look like in that situation?
 6. The sermon emphasizes that God often provides daily enough rather than abundance. How does that challenge your expectations of God’s provision, and where do you need to trust Him for “daily bread”?
 7. How would your “prophetic voice” (your ability to speak truth into others’ lives) change if it consistently flowed from a deeper, more desperate prayer life like Elijah’s?
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Surrender: *Responding to God’s voice.*

1. What is one thing God is saying to you through this study and discussion?

**** Take some time to pray for one another in response to what has been discussed today ****

We’re here!
We would love to hear about how things are going in your life group!
Reach out any time with questions, ideas, thoughts, or concerns.
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