Welcome to Digging Deeper

We've launched this weekly blog series designed to help you engage more deeply with Sunday's message. Whether you're new to church or have been following Jesus for decades, these discussion questions are meant to help you reflect, apply, and talk through the truths we explore together each week. You can use them on your own, with your family, or in a group setting.

Let's dig into this week's message:

Rahab's Story of Courageous Faith

Joshua 2:1-24

Pastor John Weiand October 26, 2025

Rahab's story in Joshua 2 reminds us that God often chooses the least expected people to carry out His greatest plans. Her courage and faith not only saved her family but also revealed God's heart for redemption. In this week's message, Pastor John Weiand challenges us to see how faith can transform even the most unlikely life story.

Reflecting on the Passage

- What stands out to you most about Rahab's interaction with the spies in <u>Joshua 2:1–11</u>?
- How does Rahab's acknowledgment of Israel's God (v.11) show her faith before she even sees the victory?
- How does Rahab's faith contrast with the fear of the people of Jericho?

Personal Application

- What "walls" in your life feel impossible to overcome without faith?
- In what ways can you show trust in God before seeing the outcome?
- How does God's ability to redeem Rahab's story give you hope for your own?

Exploring Faith

- "Faith is not the absence of fear, it's choosing to trust God in the middle of it." How do you see that in Rahab's life?
- How does Rahab's faith show that God's grace extends beyond our past or reputation?
- What does her inclusion in the genealogy of Jesus (<u>Matthew 1:5</u>) teach us about God's character?

Community Impact

- What would it look like for our church to be known as a community that welcomes people with messy pasts?
- How can your faith story, like Rahab's, become a testimony that leads others to trust God?
- How might we as a church live out the message that "no one is beyond God's reach"?

Rahab's courage and faith demonstrate that God's grace knows no limits. When we step out in faith, even from the hardest places, God can rewrite our story into something beautiful. This week, ask yourself: What bold act of faith is God calling me to take today?

We hope these questions lead you into deeper conversations with God and with others. Join us again next week for more ways to dig deeper into God's Word and grow in faith together.

Grace and peace,

The Belle Isle Community Church Team