

WEEK 3

SMALL GROUP GUIDE



THIS SERIES

Most people are pretty sure they know the story of Christmas. There's a baby, and a manger, and some sheep, and Santa, and – well, it's something like that. But there's a problem with seeing the story of Jesus' birth as just another story from the Bible. The story of Christmas isn't just one of many stories in Scripture – it's part of the story – the big story of God and His relationship with His creation. In this 4-week series, you'll help students see how the birth of Jesus changed the story of humanity forever in a way that was completely **unexpected, undeserved, unbelievable, and undeniable.**

THIS WEEK

THE BIG IDEA

This Christmas, let's celebrate that God can do the unbelievable.

THE BIBLE

Philippians 2:5-11; Luke 1:26-38
Ephesians 3:20-21

- **Why do you think it's difficult for most people to believe in miracles?**
- **What do you believe about miracles?**
- **What do you think the difference is between a miracle and a coincidence?**
- **Have you ever seen God use someone to do something miraculous? What happened?**
- **How can you get involved with the miracles God is working?**
- **What did Mary and Joseph sacrifice in order to be used by God?**
- **What might you need to sacrifice in order to be used by God?**
- **Read Ephesians 3:20-21. What can this passage teach us about being used by God?**
- **What's one way you're going to approach this Christmas season differently as a result of our conversation today?**
- **What's one thing you can do this week to make yourself available to be used by God?**