



DISCUSSION GUIDE I Week of May 3, 2026

ICEBREAKER STARTED

- If you had to summarize your current season of life in one word, what would it be and why?
- What's something you believed strongly as a kid that you later found out wasn't true?
- Have you ever had a moment where you realized you were "all in" on something (a hobby, trend, job, idea) and later questioned it? Share the story.

INTERPRETIVE QUESTIONS

- In 1 Timothy 1:15, what stands out to you about Paul's statement that "Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners"? Why is that wording significant?
- Why do you think Paul emphasizes that this is a "trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance"?
- How does Paul's own story ("of whom I am the worst") shape the meaning of the gospel in this passage?
- What does this passage suggest about how the early church understood sin and grace together?
- How does the flow of the passage move from truth about Jesus to Paul's personal response of worship?

FORMATIVE QUESTIONS

- Where do you most naturally look for "truth" or stability in your life when things feel uncertain?
- What are some modern "false saviors" or things people in our culture tend to trust for meaning or identity?
- In what ways do you personally resist the idea that you are someone who needs grace, not just improvement?
- What would it look like for you this week to actually live as if Jesus is central—not just important, but central?

