

MESSAGE NOTES

Gone Viral

What Jesus Said!

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Mark 2:1-12, p.700

Nothing
is more
important
than...

the one thing:

What is most important to you?

TAKING IT HOME NOTES

FOR SMALL GROUP & PERSONAL STUDY

- 1 **KEEPING IT REAL**
Someone in the news—or in person—claims to be God. What is your reaction? Why? What would it take to convince you?
- 2 **LOOK AT THE BOOK**
Take a look at how people reacted in Jesus' time: in His hometown (Luke 4:16-30), the religious authorities (John 8:54-59), the soldiers (John 17:4-6), the disciples (Matthew 16:13-17). How does this compare to how people respond today?
- 3 Read John 1:29-51. How are the disciples convinced that Jesus is the Son of God (and therefore also God)? What does Jesus say about reasons to believe Him (John 7:16-18, John 14:8-11 and John 20:24-29)?
- 4 **THE NEXT STEP**
Where are you on the spectrum of belief—convinced that Jesus is God as He said, mostly convinced, still in doubt? What will you do to more fully resolve this question in your own mind? How can you help others to discover this truth for themselves?

NEXT STEPS

- Read and discuss Mark 2:1-12 with those in your home this week.
- Post, tweet, message something about Jesus this week.
- Celebrate with others what God has done, is doing, in your life.
- Other _____

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

AUGUST

BIG TREE NERF WARS	17
QUEST 56 SUMMER SPLASH	17
FAMILY LIFE OPEN HOUSE	21 & 28

SEPTEMBER

COMMUNITY SERVE SUNDAY	4
LABOR DAY (OFFICE CLOSED)	5
CATALYST	7
MEN'S BREAKFAST	10
MEN'S KICK OFF	10
MIDWEEK MINISTRIES START	12-16
SUPER HERO	24