



## *Faces of Easter: Doubting Thomas*

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### **WARM UP**

1. What's the farthest you've ever been away from home?
2. What stood out to you in this week's message?

### **DIG IN**

3. If everyone experiences doubt, what have yours looked like?
4. How can James 1:5-8 and Matthew 14:29-31 come interpreted as if doubts are like a disease that needs to be cured?
5. Read John 20:24-29. Why did Jesus show up to present himself to Thomas if he wants us to believe without seeing?
6. Why would Jesus put us into situations in which our doubts? What are the two options we have for dealing with doubts? How did Peter (Matt 14) and Thomas choose the right doorway? What was the alternative?

### **DIGGING DEEPER (EXTRA CREDIT!)**

7. What is one step you'd like to take to address an area of fear or doubt?
8. Think of someone you know who struggles to trust God. How can you be an encouragement to them this week?



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Doubting Laila:

Ever doubt \_\_\_\_\_?

Is doubt a \_\_\_\_\_ to cure?

James 1:5-8

So doubt is a \_\_\_\_\_ to avoid?

Matthew 14:29-31

Are doubts \_\_\_\_\_ if Jesus creates \_\_\_\_\_ for them to emerge?

Loss, \_\_\_\_\_, disappointment, unanswered \_\_\_\_\_

John 20:24-29

What if doubts are \_\_\_\_\_?

Jesus isn't scolding us for wanting \_\_\_\_\_. He's inviting us to...

