**Jesus Cares for the Outcasts Mark 5:1-20 Small Group Questions**

Read Mark 5: 1-20

What’s the difference between acknowledging the existence (and limited power) of evil spirits and fearing them?

Who in your community are the people considered on the margins of society? Who are the lonely, the rejected, and the people in chains?

What are people’s (Christian’s) “good reasons” for not moving towards the suffering or those hurt by evil? How does understanding the authority and love of Jesus change that?

The “other side of the lake” will look different for each one of us. What is it for you?

Do you feel God’s call as an individual or a group to show God’s love to them? What would be a simple first step to take?

Share a story of when you did go “to the other side of the lake” and God worked in that situation or person’s life.