

# Switch Message Guide

*Middle School Leader Guide  
Becoming like Jesus together.*

## FALLEN KINGDOM/ WEEK 3

### SCRIPTURE:

*Read Isaiah 6 together*

Isaiah 6:5

*"It's all over! I am doomed, for I am a sinful man..."*

### Warm up

- Would you rather:
  - Always be right
  - Or always be kind?
- Have you ever been super confident about something... and then realized you were wrong?
- Is it harder to admit when you're wrong... or harder to listen to someone else?

Leader transition:

- It's actually harder than we think to admit when we're not right.

### DISCUSSION

**Let's talk about the Bible.**

Isaiah 6:5 (NLT)

*"It's all over! I am doomed, for I am a sinful man..."*

Ask:

- Why do you think Isaiah reacted like that?
- What do you think it would be like to stand in front of a perfect God?

Let them wonder — don't explain yet.

### TENSION

**Ask these slowly. Let them answer from experience.**

- What does it mean to be prideful?
- What does it mean to be humble?
- Which one do you think is easier — and why?
- Why is it hard to admit when we mess up?
- Have you ever made excuses instead of being honest?
- Do you think pride can keep people from growing?

### Leader-Owned Tension Statement

(Do NOT ask this as a question. Say it.)

*"Pride makes us hide what's wrong... but humility tells the truth."*

### Connect it:

- What do you think happens when someone is honest about their mistakes?
- Why do you think God would want us to be honest instead of pretending we're fine?

### LISTEN FOR THIS

Listen for what happens when Isaiah sees God for who He really is.

### PRAY

Close your group time with a short prayer.

## WHERE TO NEXT?

### Switch Youth Youtube:

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### Bible Plan:

Disciple-Making Disciples



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High School Leader Guide  
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## FALLEN KINGDOM/ WEEK 2

### SCRIPTURE:

READ AS A GROUP

**READ ISAIAH 6 TOGETHER**

Then I said, "It's all over! I am doomed, for I am a sinful man. I have filthy lips, and I live among a people with filthy lips. Yet I have seen the King, the Lord of Heaven's Armies.

**Ask about verse (brief):**

- Why was Isaiah's first reaction not confidence, but confession?
- What does this show us about what happens when we actually see God clearly?

Optional follow-up:

- Do we tend to respond like Isaiah... or avoid it?

**These questions help students name what they just heard, not debate it.**

- What part of Isaiah's story stood out to you the most?
- What moment or line from the message stuck with you?
- What felt most challenging or uncomfortable?

**Discussion:**

### TENSION

**Ask:**

- Where in your life are you tempted to make excuses instead of being honest?
- What's something you've been minimizing that you know isn't right?
- What do you try to control that creates anxiety when it doesn't go your way?

**Connect it:**

- What is one area of your life where you need to be honest with God?
- What would it look like to actually trust Him with it instead of trying to control it?

Optional deeper follow-up:

- What's been holding you back from doing that?

### JOURNAL MOMENT (Optional)

Prompt:

"What pride do I need to remove... and what anxiety do I need to release?"

**IMPORTANT:**

**They don't need to share if they don't want to share.**

**PRAY**

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