

**Message Study | FOBO | Whatcha Gonna Do?**  
**February 2, 2020**

*Dive deeper into this week's message and passages from the Bible. Here are some questions to help you guide your group discussion.*

**Message Review:** God isn't looking for people who are adequate, but people who are available. Take a step of faith. Stop over-analyzing and do something so big it would fail if God wasn't in it. If it doesn't work out that doesn't mean God isn't at work behind the scenes, developing some things in you that would never take shape if you hadn't taken a step. God can still work through your poor decisions.

**Warm-Up Question:** What kinds of decisions give you analysis paralysis?

**Read James 1:2-6**

- How do you generally respond when troubles of any kind come your way?
- What do verses 3 and 4 promise will happen when our faith is tested? How have you seen this truth at work in your own life?
- Instead of asking God to change your circumstances, what is a better way to navigate through the troubles and trials of life (verse 5)?
- What is wisdom and how is it different than information?
- Where do you usually turn when you're having a hard time making a decision? What might this indicate about where you put your faith?

**Read 2 Corinthians 12:8-9 and Proverbs 3:5-6 in a few versions including The Message**

- How do each of these verses speak to you about making decisions apart from God or with your own strength?
- What decision is currently paralyzing you or are you waiting to make until you feel 100% ready?
- How can you move forward and take a step in faith?
- How can declaring your identity bring clarity into your life? How will that declaration affect what you do?

**Listen and Respond:** Take a minute as a group to prayerfully pause to allow time for members to process the following questions. Then allow a few minutes for members to briefly share what God is saying and what they will do. *(Pro tip: Leaders, jot down the action steps, send out to the group for prayer and encouragement, then review next meeting.)*

What is God saying to you through His Word? How and when will you respond?

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