

HOW TO USE THIS RESOURCE

Lessons on the Go are easy-to-use youth ministry lessons that are Bible-based and single-focused. They're designed to help everyone from volunteer leaders to experienced full-time youth workers quickly facilitate great discussions with clear takeaways and real-life application steps.



WHAT TO DO

- One handout / Two options:**
 - SIMPLE:** Give everyone both front and back pages. Just print and go!
 - CUSTOM:** Give students the back page. Keep the front page as a leaders-only resource so you can customize the opening question, teaching, and discussion prompts for your group's needs.
- Apply It:** Challenge students to get specific. Growth happens when we make a plan, then ask others to keep us accountable. You may want to assign a different student to personally follow-up after each lesson.
- End with prayer:** Each lesson ends with a different prayer method to help students continue thinking about how The Takeaway applies to daily life. Spend a few minutes walking through the prompts to make sure your students know what they need to do when they're on their own during the week.

THANKFUL SERIES OVERVIEW

Four lessons on how thankfulness changes everything.

These 4 lessons will show students the impact of a consistent habit of thankfulness. When we commit to thankfulness, we're really committing to deeper trust in God. Students will be challenged to change their mindset, practice thankfulness, and develop habits that cultivate thankfulness and trust.

LESSON 1

Thankfulness Starts Here

SCRIPTURE: Philippians 4:4-9

THE TAKEAWAY: Thankfulness is an action.

LESSON 2

No Whining

SCRIPTURE: Jonah 3:10-4:11

THE TAKEAWAY: You're probably not trusting God if you're complaining all the time.

LESSON 3

More Than an Add-On

SCRIPTURE: Colossians 3:5-17

THE TAKEAWAY: God wants to substitute your bitterness with his thankfulness.

LESSON 4

Rearview Mirror

SCRIPTURE: Psalm 106:1-12

THE TAKEAWAY: Remembering what God has done builds us into thankful people.

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