

# For the Kingdom

For the Kingdom is a series that seeks to approach our faith as a communal affair. It will resonate with those who are tired of our culture's obsession with the individual and our disconnection with one another. For the Kingdom uses interactive and multisensory tasks, as well as communal and political imagery, to guide students in discovering the nature of God's kingdom. What are its values and how does it work? How will it be spread and what difference will it make?

In Lesson One, **Kingdom Values**, students begin to explore what it means to be a nation as they work together to design their own imaginary nations. From this, we transition to a biblical exploration of God's kingdom and its values. What is unique about the kingdom of God?

In Lesson Two, **Diplomatic Mission**, students will explore what it means to be ambassadors for God. They will imagine and act out realistic scenarios of what this looks like, in order to find an intersection between their real lives and God's call for ambassadors who will represent him well.

In Lesson Three, **Safe Havens**, students will explore the role of the church and/or youth group as a safe haven for cultural defectors and others seeking refuge. In what ways is your community ready to welcome people and in what ways can it improve its hospitality?