



## You Get Me | Politics 01.08.23

### **START TALKING | (Find a conversation starter for your group)**

If you could deliver a statement to your future great grandchildren about today's political climate, what would you say in a sentence or two?

### **START EXPLORING | (Read the Bible)**

Read Matthew 9:35-38.

- What are your key takeaways as you look over this passage?
- What do you believe God is perhaps saying to you about His kingdom?

### **START SHARING | (Choose a question to create openness)**

- Why is the kingdom of God bigger and more important than our political system?
- What is our responsibility as believers when it comes to politics?
- Out of the "8 Ways Jesus Handled Disagreeable People," which one or two could you use in conversations about politics?

### **Start Praying. (Be bold and pray with power)**

*"Jesus, thank you for getting us. Getting me. Politics is so complicated. I want to want your kingdom more than I want my party to win. You came to invite and welcome everyone. So help me to love and engage in politics with a Christian influence and Christ-like attitude. It's in your name that I pray, amen."*

### **Start Doing. (Commit to a step, and live it out this week)**

Mediate on and memorize Matthew 6:10.

*"your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven."*