



Week of February 2 *John 4:43 - 5:47*

Questions for Reflection ...

Jesus tells the royal official his son is healed, and the official takes Jesus at His word. Of others in the same place Jesus says, "unless you see miraculous signs and wonders you will never believe." Consider your own faith. Do you take Jesus at His word, or do you take a 'wait and see' approach?

Jesus asks the paralyzed man at the pool, "Do you want to get well?" What role did his willingness play in his healing? Are there places in your life where you hesitate to let Jesus bring healing? Where in your life is Jesus saying, "pick up your mat and walk"?

When the man is questioned for carrying his mat on the Sabbath, he replies, "the man who made me well said to pick up my mat and walk". In your life, where do following the rules and following Jesus conflict? What do you do when such a conflict arises?

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