



Calling – what am I here for?

THE SERIES AT A GLANCE

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 3 meetings of 10–15 minutes

 Discovering that God calls every person – with their limits and their gifts

 Preparation: 10 min

 **How to use the series:** Use one part in each of three meetings in a row. At the start, briefly recall the previous part.

1 Part 1: But I'm too young

Bible: Jeremiah 1:4–8

God calls Jeremiah to be his prophet. Jeremiah protests: "I do not know how to speak; I am too young." God answers: "Do not say, 'I am too young.' You must go wherever I send you. Do not be afraid, for I am with you." A calling does not depend on age or CV, but on the one who calls.

 **Question:** Where do you think: "I am not ready for that yet"?

 **Prayer:** *God, you know me better than I know myself. Take away my fear of being too young or too small. Amen.*



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2 Part 2: Send someone else

Bible: Exodus 4:10–13

Moses is to lead Israel out of Egypt. He looks for excuses: "I am not a good speaker." God asks back: "Who gave human beings their mouths?" Moses pleads: "Please send someone else!" God becomes impatient – and still gives him his brother Aaron at his side. Excuses are human. But God rarely sends us out completely alone.

💬 **Question:** Which excuse do you use most often?

🙏 **Prayer:** *God, you know my excuses. Give me courage to say yes, and people at my side who go with me. Amen.*

3 Part 3: With what you have

Bible: Matthew 25:14–21

A man entrusts money to his servants: five talents to one, two to another, one to the third. The first two put it to work and increase it. The third buries his out of fear. What matters is not how much someone has received, but that they use it. A calling begins in everyday life: in training, studies, work, volunteering and your own scout group.

💬 **Question:** Which gift might you still have "buried"?

🙏 **Prayer:** *Lord Jesus, thank you for the gifts you have entrusted to me. Show me where I can use them. Amen.*

For leaders

- Leave room for doubts and critical questions – an honest conversation matters more than a quick answer.
- As a leader, feel free to share a personal experience.