



Week 2

What's something that happened recently that made you feel uncomfortable?

Read Matthew 2:1-16

How would you describe King Herod based on this story? What emotions do you think he was feeling when he heard about the birth of Jesus?

Herod's insecurity made him paranoid and afraid of losing control. How can insecurity sometimes make *us* act differently than we normally would?

Why do you think it's so easy to focus on how we compare to others instead of focusing on what God says about us?

Andrew mentioned that Herod missed out on seeing what God was doing because of his insecurity. Can you think of a time when insecurity caused you to miss out on something good?

What would it look like this week to push past insecurity and let God use you at school, home, or church?