

LIFE TOGETHER · SINCE 1970

A New Series: Faith at the Movies

We are gathering around the screen. Three films, three evenings — each a lens for the questions we have always asked together.

Story on film gives our themes a face, a voice, and a table to sit at.

Faith & Doubt

Science & Mystery

Hospitality & Grace

Suffering & Theodicy

Community & Calling

The Other & Reconciliation



DENIS VILLENEUVE · 2016

Arrival

A linguist races to understand visitors whose language reshapes how she sees time.

Communication becomes an act of trust; understanding the stranger changes the self.



Science & Mystery



Language



The Other



Providence & Time

QUESTIONS FOR THE TABLE

- ◆ *If you knew the sorrow ahead, would you still say yes to the joy?*
- ◆ *How does learning another's language change how we love the stranger?*



GABRIEL AXEL • 1987

Babette's Feast

A refugee cook spends her entire fortune on one perfect meal for a frugal, pious village — asking nothing in return.

Grace • Hospitality • Art • Sacrifice

QUESTIONS FOR THE TABLE

- ◆ *What does it mean to receive a gift we could never repay?*
- ◆ *When has beauty or abundance felt like an act of grace to you?*



Silence

MARTIN SCORSESE • 2016

*Two Jesuit priests search for their mentor in a Japan where to believe
is to risk everything — and heaven seems to say nothing.*

Faith Under Persecution • God's Silence • The Cost of Discipleship

QUESTIONS FOR THE TABLE

- ◆ *Where have you experienced God's silence — and what did you do with it?*
 - ◆ *Is faith that stays hidden still faith? What does discipleship cost?*

Pull Up a Chair

Three films, three conversations — come as you are, questions welcome.

01



Watch Beforehand

Screen the film at home during the two weeks before we meet.

02



Sit With the Questions

Bring the table questions and one moment from the film that stayed with you.

03



Gather & Discuss

Join us for shared reflection, coffee, and honest conversation.

Arrival — Sept • Babette's Feast — Oct • Silence — Nov

Life Together · gathered around story since 1970