

## Discussion Questions

1. What has challenged you, changed you or confused you from this week's sermon?
2. What parallels between the people of Israel in the Old Testament and believers in the New Testament do you see in Scripture? *(These could be from the sermon or directly from the Bible.)*
  - Which is most impacting for you? Why?
  - How do these parallels help you see the whole arc of the Bible?
  - How do they help you see your place in God's story?
  - What is that place?
  - What impact does that have on you? *(Strengthen & encourage? Dishearten and discourage? Move you to prayer? Etc)*
3. One of the main parallels from the sermon stems from Israel being redeemed out of exile.
  - Have you ever experienced something that might parallel being in exile?
  - How have you experienced redemption in the past?
  - How are you experiencing redemption now?
4. What is God prompting you to do this week as a step of faith and obedience