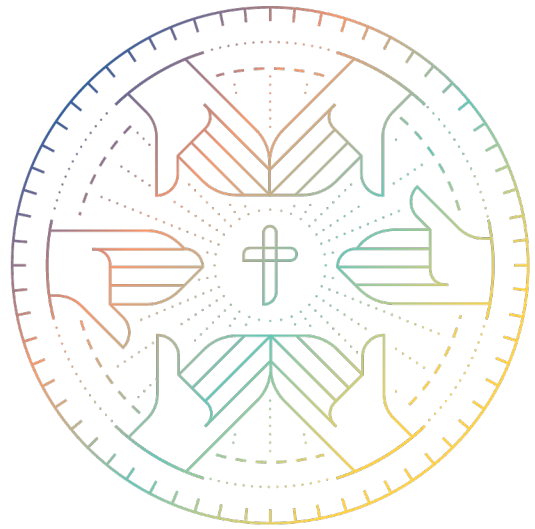


Group Life.

WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER



SMALL GROUP GUIDE

Even In the Silence: “From Apathy to a Vibrant Relationship”
Scripture Focus: Habakkuk 3

ICEBREAKER

What’s a hobby or activity in your life that used to feel exciting but has become routine or “apathetic” over time?

OR

Can you share about a time in your faith when you felt spiritually dry, and how you found vibrancy again?

SERMON SUMMARY

This week’s message reminded us that God wants to use struggles in our lives not just to give us quick resolutions, but to deepen our relationship with Him. Habakkuk wrestled with confusion, doubt, and fear, but ultimately moved from a crisis of faith to vibrant trust in God. His prayer in chapter 3 shows us how to move from apathy to a vibrant faith by remembering God’s past faithfulness, accepting His present work, and trusting His future plan.

What stood out to you from Pastor David’s message?

INTO THE WORD

Read Habakkuk 3:1–15, Exodus 14:21–22 and Isaiah 26:3. What stands out to you about the way Habakkuk remembers God’s past works? How can recalling God’s faithfulness in the past strengthen your faith in today’s struggles?

Read Habakkuk 3:16, John 14:27 and James 1:2–4. What does it look like to both acknowledge fear and trembling, yet still say, “I will quietly wait”? How can acceptance of God’s plan help us avoid bitterness or apathy?

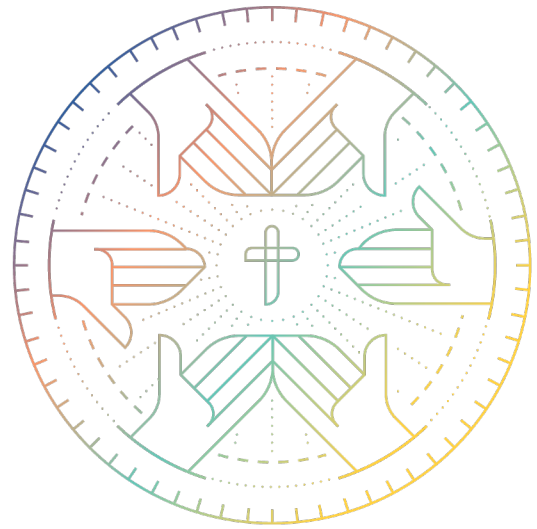
Read Habakkuk 3:17–19 and Psalm 46:1–3. How is Habakkuk able to rejoice even when facing famine, loss, or hardship? What would it look like for you personally to declare, “God’s got me. Come on, let’s go!” in your current season of life?

EMBRACE AND EMBODY

Habakkuk models a faith that doesn’t shy away from questions, but grows deeper through them. Moving from apathy to vibrancy begins with remembering God’s past faithfulness, choosing to accept His work in

Group Life.

WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER



the present, and trusting His hand for the future. This week, embrace God's invitation to Seek Him Daily by making space to recall His goodness—write down one way He's been faithful each day. And embody your faith by practicing Worshiping God even in hardship. Spend time praising God—not just for what He's done, but for who He is. **Challenge your group to memorize Habakkuk 3:17-19.**

Share an attribute of God that is especially meaningful to you in this current season and take a moment to share why that attribute matters to you right now.

Where in your life do you need to shift from resisting God's plan to accepting it? Remind the group that "biblical acceptance" allows us to be realistic about our circumstances and lament, but then directs us to remember God's faithfulness, trust His plan, and receive His peace.

GROUP PRAYER EXERCISE

Invite the group to spend a few minutes in reflective silence before God, remembering a time He has been faithful. Then, move into a time of spoken prayer, where each member thanks God for one specific way He has been faithful in their life. Close by reading Habakkuk 3:17–19 aloud together as a declaration of trust.

CLOSING PRAYER

Heavenly Father, thank You for always being faithful. When life feels unfair, help us remember Your goodness in the past. When fear threatens to overwhelm us, give us peace as we accept Your perfect plan. And when the future feels uncertain, teach us to trust and rejoice in You. Strengthen us to move from apathy to a vibrant relationship with You, rooted in worship and trust. In Jesus' name, Amen.