

Small Group Questions for March 5, 2017

Series: E38. Understanding God's story, their story and your story.

"I See a Pattern," Judges 2: 8-19

Ice breaker: If you can, remember and tell of a time when you "got scared strait!" Through seeing a negative consequence in the life of another or a group you resolved to do what was right.

Sermon Questions:

1. Judges: A book of much war and blood shed. As a group discuss the possible struggles you have with such a book being in the Bible. Why do you think God allowed such a history to be written and preserved? What do you think he wants us to learn?
2. Samuel is the writer of the book of Judges. What core truth did you take away from how God interacted with his chosen nation during this time period?
3. If the deliverance of the judges never lasted, what do you think God is trying to teach us? Why is breaking a sin cycle such a struggle?
4. Samuel said, "Because they had no king everyone did what was right in their own eyes." King David got the nation of Israel in a sin cycle. How does King JESUS get us out of our sin cycles? (Hint: Holy Spirit)
5. Next Level question: Can anyone tell of a time when a sin cycle was broken in your life and Jesus became more than your savior, he became your freeing king?