

## Small Group Questions for May 14, 2017

E38: Disappointment with God: What do I do with that?

### Habakkuk Chapters 1-3

Opening Questions: If you are able, share any memories you have good or bad of Mother's Day? Did any kids do anything special for any mothers in the group?

1. Today's topic is Disappointment with God. Has anyone in the group experienced or is experiencing disappointment with God? Do you feel bad about it? And what does Habakkuk show us about being disappointed with God?
2. Habakkuk is asking God why doesn't he do something about the 'injustice' in the world. What are some common issues that cause us to ask God the famous 'why' question? What have you learned about times when you were perplexed with your faith? Share with the group.
3. God raised up the Babylonians to 'purify' the people of Judah. What does this tell us about God's power over evil? What might be the positive side of struggle?
4. Many of the Jewish people simply adapted to the values of the Babylonian culture though God said it would not endure. What does this teach us about not adapting to the cultural values of our day and staying faithful to God?
5. Habakkuk was brought to a place of security because God showed him how God is in control of all events and history. How does God controlling final outcomes affect our day to day lives?

How can you pray for each other and New Ground Alliance Church?