

# Weekend Message Questions

## Wisdom in Suffering

### 7/24-7/25

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**CHECK-IN:** Check with your group to see how they're doing.

**BIG IDEA:** We all can relate to the suffering Job faced, but in the midst of suffering, God honors your struggle, your honesty, and your prayers.

#### **DISCUSS:**

- Who or what are the voices that have influence in your life?
- Which voice seems to be the loudest or the most demanding? Why do you think that voice has the most volume in your life right now?
- Which voice do you tend to listen to the most? Why?

**READ:** Job 2:9-13, Job 4:6, Job 8:3, Job 11:7

#### **DISCUSS:**

- Have the voices in your life ever convinced you to question God's goodness, His justice, and His wisdom? How?
- "In the midst of suffering, make sure you listen to the right voice, not just the one that sounds the holiest." How can you discern which voice is the right voice?
- When you see a person in a time of suffering, how can you be the right voice, rather than the voice that just sounds the holiest?

**READ:** Job 38:1-3, Job 40:4-5

#### **DISCUSS:**

- Job realized that he may never know why he faced suffering. Losing everything was not a punishment, and getting everything back was not a reward. Why do you think this can be such a difficult concept for us to understand in our suffering?
- How does it impact you in suffering to realize that you may never know why?
- What can we learn from our suffering without knowing why it happened?

**READ:** Job 42:5

#### **DISCUSS:**

- How has suffering impacted your faith and trust in God?
- What in your life is requiring you to trust God right now?

**Pray to close.**

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