

Week 1- “Lessons From The Assyrians”

In this series we are exploring the book of Nahum. This book provides incredible insight on how we can navigate fear and uncertainty and teaches us that there is a God who sees the worst of humanity and offers us a vision bigger and enduring. In this week’s message we look at why Nahum was written so we can understand the context.

1. What stood out to you from the message?

Read Nahum 1:1,14, Nahum 3:1-4 and Jonah 1:1-2

2. Have you ever heard the story of Nahum and Jonah? If so, How does the context give you insight into why they lived in so much fear?

3. When you think about the evil and uncertainty that is a part of our world, do you feel God’s presence with you or do you feel He is distant from what is going on? Can you share more about that?

4. Do you have anything in your past or present reality that has left you wondering if there is a God who sees? If you are comfortable can you share more about that?

5. What would it mean to you if you could know that God sees what you have faced or are facing?

Read Isaiah 7:13-14 and Matthew 1:22-23

6. How does Jesus and his cross point to the God who sees?

7. What do you hope to learn about God in this series?

Nahum is a story of how God is bigger than Nineveh. Nahum's vision will help us discover that there is a God who sees and He ultimately sent Jesus to step into this broken world to die for us because His love and grace for us is infinite and unending. Ultimately God's love and grace gives us the peace and confidence we need to face the uncertainty of this broken world.