11. In his message Pastor Brian said, "What God does, He does completely." How can the Christ-follower take comfort in these words? What should it convey to those that reject Christ?

### **MINOR PROPHETS, MAJOR TRUTH**

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# Pastor Brian Williams July 28, 2019 **Division of Nahum:** I. Judgment on Nineveh Declared (ch. 1) II. Judgment on Nineveh \_\_\_\_\_ (ch. 2) III. Judgment on Nineveh Defended (ch. 3) PRACTICAL APPLICATION 1. For the Christ-Follower, \_\_\_\_\_is Not an Option 2. God's Awesome \_\_\_\_\_ Should Lead to **Reverence and Obedience** 3. What God Does, He Does 4. There is \_\_\_\_\_\_for the One That Puts His Faith in God



12. Read Nahum 2:13. How would it feel hearing those words from your Creator? Why?

- 13. The message of Nahum shows the importance of boundaries. What boundaries do you have in place to prevent you from falling into habitual sin and rebellion?
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- 14. In what ways do you feel that God wants you to change in response to Nahum's message, either in action or attitude?
- 15. Our big idea for this week was, "God's patience will not last forever." Who are you praying for this week in light of this truth?

## **QUESTIONS FOR GROWTH**

- 1. On a scale of 1-10, how patient a person are you in the following areas? (With kids, at a restaurant, in traffic, with those that have wronged you.)
- 2. According to the Scriptures, patience is important in the life of a believer. Find a Bible verse to share regarding this important topic.

#### **BIG IDEA OF SUNDAY'S SERMON**

God's patience will not last forever!

#### Read Nahum 1-3

3. From the text itself, what did you hear/learn that you did not know before this weekend?

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- 4. What are the similarities between Nahum and Jonah's prophecies? What are the differences? What do we learn from these?
- 5. In his message, Pastor Brian said, "The generation of Jonah failed to pass on their faith and it had dire effects." How does this challenge us today? What must we do in response to this challenge?

6. What characteristics of God were mentioned in Nahum 1:2-6? Which stood out the most to you?

 Jealousy is typically presented in Scripture as a bad thing (I.e.- 1 Corinthians 13:3, James, 3:16, Galatians 5:20, etc.) What then is different between the jealousy of God (Nahum 1:2) and the jealousy of man?

8. Read Nahum 1:7 and 1:8. How can God be both "good" while "making an end of adversaries"? Is this a contradiction? Why or why not?

9. Read Proverbs 6:16-19. Which of these negative characteristics did Nineveh exhibit? What, if any, modern day parallels do you see?

10. What evidence of a lack of leadership do you see in Nahum 3:18? How does this verse demonstrate the need for strong leadership?