



SIGNPOSTS OF HOPE IN A SUFFERING WORLD



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JUSTICE

THE POINTS FROM THIS WEEK'S MESSAGE WERE:

- The problem of injustice.
- God's plan to confront injustice
- Jesus' call to be his "Justice-Bringers"

LET'S TALK

1. Choose one of the questions below to answer:
 - a. Have you ever been the victim of injustice?
 - b. What injustice are you most passionate about?
2. Read the following Bible passages: Isaiah 61:8, Jeremiah 9:24, Psalm 97:2. What do these passages tell us about God's character?
3. Read Micah 6:8. What comes to your mind when you think about following God? Does this verse paint a similar picture or a different one?
4. Pastor Jeremy says, "To ultimately fix the problems of injustice is impossible for us to do. Why? Because we're part of the problem. There are larger forces working in our lives, in our culture and in our institutions. The problems of injustice are imbedded in our attitudes, our thinking, our economic system, our educational system, our governments..."

Do you agree with this statement? In what ways do you see injustice imbedded in our lives, culture and institutions?

5. Because Jesus personally experience injustice not only on the cross but also in his trial, we can know that he understands the pain of being a victim of injustice. How does this comfort or encourage you?
6. Jesus establishes justice by defeating sin on the cross and calls us to join him in his mission of justice by setting things right in the world. What do you find daunting about this? What do you find exciting about this?
7. What are some ways you sense God calling you and your small group to be an agent of God's justice? (God may give you more ideas in the coming weeks through the upcoming series Justice in Jesus.)

LET'S PRAY: Spend some time in prayer (for each other, for our community and for the world).

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