

# May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2016 Message Discussion Questions

1. Check in question:
  - Go around and share if you could have any animal (automatically tamed) as a pet – what would it be and why?
  
2. Review Genesis 8.1-9.17 and the main ideas of the message together.
  - What do you remember?
  - What stood out to you?
  
3. Give your own definition of the word faithfulness.
  - What do you think the Bible means by faithfulness?
  
4. Look up the following verses about the faithfulness of God. What sticks out to you to maybe further inform your definition? Also discuss what implications some of the information you find has for your life this week.
  - Deuteronomy 7.7-11
  - 1 John 1.8-9
  - 1 Corinthians 10.13
  - Psalm 89.1-8
  - 2 Timothy 2.11-13
  
5. In what ways do you find it easy to trust/believe God?
  - In what ways do you find it more challenging?
  
6. Rate on a scale from 1-9 how much you feel like your life right now lines up with God's larger plan and purpose in the world.
  - Explain your answer.
  - What steps might you take this week to make that number higher?
  
7. Brainstorm together:
  - How can we as Christians be more intentional in sharing our faith with others?
  - How do you even begin to start those conversations?
  - How would you describe to someone why you believe in God and why that's so important?
  
8. Share prayer requests and pray for one another before you go.

