

1. It's one thing if Pharaoh would have simply said, "No," to Moses' request. Why do you think God allowed Pharaoh to also respond by making the Israelites' lives more difficult?

2. When Israel suffers, what past mercies does God appeal to? How can this serve as a model for us in the midst of suffering?

3. Moses continues to plead his lack of qualifications. How would his time in Egypt have prepared him for God's calling? How does his lineage (finally revealed in this chapter) speak to his God given qualification?

4. What connection may there be between Moses saying he has "uncircumcised lips" and the previous chapter? What do you think God is teaching Moses about himself?

5. Which elements of the redemptive story (creation, fall, redemption, restoration) are visible in this chapter?

6. How does this chapter inform the way you should view and reach out to the world around you?

7. What challenge or encouragement did this passage provide to your soul?

JEREMIAH 6

For the 52 weeks of 2018, we will be featuring one chapter per week during our music liturgy

Read the chapter and consider the following questions.

How does this passage predict/inform the exile Israel faces?

How does this chapter instruct/rebuke/encourage the faith of the Israelites?

How can this inform my thinking as an "elect exile?"