



1. What does it mean to bear one another burdens in Galatians 6:2? What kinds of things could constitute as burdens?
2. Romans 8:12-25 reminds us that suffering will continue to happen. How does this passage also lay out the role of the body of Christ as we endure suffering?
3. What instructions do you find in Romans 12:9-21? How can these instructions help us show compassion to one another in trials?
4. 1 Peter 5:6-11 is often only read as individual instruction in dealing with trials. But how does Peter say we can find strength from one another in the midst of suffering? What assumption does Peter seem to make?
5. What concerns did Paul have about the effect trials may have on the church in 1 Thessalonians 3:1-13? How do you see mutual care taking place?

Thoughts • Application • Summary from this week's discussion...

Jeremiah 42

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?"