

Growth Group Discussion Questions January 30, 2022

God is My Shepherd and Portion Forever Psalm 73

- 1. What stood out to you from the sermon?
- 2. Have you ever experienced an emotional "whiplash moment?"
- 3. What words does the psalmist use to describe the wicked in verses 3-12?
 - a. Describe how Asaph (author of the Psalm) was affected (reference verses 2-3 and 13-16).
 - b. When you see the same things today, do you feel like Asaph and think life's not fair? Why or why not?
- 4. Describe what Asaph saw in verses 18-20 after he went into the sanctuary.
 - a. Describe how Asaph was affected in verses 21-24. What type of heart change do we see?
 - b. Share a time when you have experienced a heart change like Asaph.
- 5. Pastor Daniel said, "WHO we see determines WHAT we see." How does that resonate with you today?
 - a. Read verses 25-26. Is this a challenging prayer for us? Why or why not? How can this prayer help keep our focus on what truly matters?
 - b. What connection do you see between where our eyes are looking and contentment?
- 6. We looked at three ways we delight in God.
 - His Word (Read Psalm 1:1-2; Psalm 119:14, 16, 24, 35, 77, 143)
 - His Presence (Read Psalm 16:11, Acts 1:14, Acts 16:25, Philippians 4:6-7)
 - His Body (Read Hebrews 10:24-25)
 - a. Share a time when you have delighted in the Lord ("taste and see that the Lord is good Psalm 34:8).
 - b. What practical things can we do this week to delight in God and keep our eyes on Him?