

**Dig Deeper @Home – “Confronting Unheavenly Realities”  
Complement to lesson on 03/14/21 – “The god of Much”**

**ICE BREAKER – Questions to open dialogue and learn more about those gathered**

1. What are you most looking forward to about the Spring?
2. Finish these sentences: 1) I have too much ... 2) You can never have too much ...

**MEMORIZE – Habakkuk 3: 17-19**

Though the fig tree should not blossom, nor fruit be on the vines, the produce of the olive fail and the fields yield no food, the flock be cut off from the fold and there be no herd in the stalls; yet I will rejoice in the LORD; I will take joy in the GOD of my salvation. GOD, the Lord, is my strength; he makes my feet like the deer’s; he makes me tread on high places

**READ Habakkuk 1:12 – 2:1**

**Questions to ponder/discuss:**

1. What sticks out to you in this passage? What did you like? What didn’t you like?
2. What general observations can you make? Anything repeated, contrasted, or compared?
3. What is this passage revealing about God? About us as humans?
4. 1:16 says, “Therefore he sacrifices to his net and makes offerings to his dragnet; for by them he lives in luxury, and his food is rich.” In other words, they made sacrifices to the thing that made them wealthy. What allows you to live in luxury? How might you be making sacrifices to it?
5. In verse 12 Habakkuk asks, “Are you not from everlasting?” The Psalmist uses a similar phrase in Psalm 90. Read Psalm 90. What connections can you make from Psalm 90 to Habakkuk?

## **Experiential activity – “Hooked, Caught & Gathered”**

This is what the wicked foe does ... hooks, catches and gathers. (vs. 15) This wicked foe, Babylon, was unwittingly hooked, caught and gathered by an even more insidious, wicked foe ... the god of much. As an exercise in the week ahead, ask God to show you where you might be currently hooked, caught or gathered by the god of much. As you do so, write them down. Share these “God sightings” with a trusted friend or family members. Ask God to work a work in you, freeing you from this god of much and filling you instead with his word or a song of praise. You may find yourself being astounded at the ways you have been able to see God at work.

**SING** (Suggested songs to sing. Use these, or any favorites of the gathered group, to worship Jesus!)

A Place called Earth - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gM7KuBRITH0>

Why God - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s3Cruc3PYS4>

O Praise the Name - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LqBpifDpNKc>

Be Still, my Soul - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mq59iE3MhXM>

## **PRAY**

This is a time to gather around for prayer requests and to share how you have seen God at work. A time to hear where God is showing up in our lives and where we need Him to help us in our lives.

## **Sending prayer based on the lesson:**

Go from here, empowered by the Holy Spirit to confront Unheavenly realities and cultivate heavenly possibilities where you live, work and play, beginning within yourself. For His glory and for the good of others. Amen