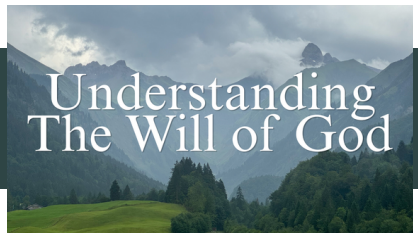
ROSENBERG FIRST METHODIST CHURCH



Can I Trust God Without Knowing the Plan?

GROUP DISCUSSION GUIDE

Discussion

1. When you face uncertainty or an unexpected change, what is your first response? Do you tend to seek answers, make a plan, ask for help, or worry about what might happen?

2. What resonated with you from Sunday's worship?

Read Proverbs 3:5-6.
3. What words or phrases stand out to you in this passage? What questions do they raise?

4. What is the difference between trusting God and simply giving up responsibility for our choices? How do we remain faithful in what we can do while surrendering what we cannot control?

Read John 14:27 and Philippians 4:6-7.
5. The sermon emphasized that God's peace does not mean every conflict is resolved. How does that understanding change the way you think about peace?

6. Why is it important to remember that experiencing anxiety, grief, or fear does not mean we lack faith?

Read Revelation 21:1-5.
7. The rebuilding of City Temple was a picture of hope, but our ultimate hope is God's promise to make all things new. How does the promise of an eternal home with God shape the way we face the disappointments and uncertainties of this life?

8. Review the Series Outline on the right. Which of the five themes have been most meaningful or challenging for you? Why?

9. What is one thing you understand differently about God's will?

Series Outline

- Knowing God's character - *Intentional Will*
- Facing our circumstances - *Circumstantial Will*
- Trusting God's promises - Ultimate Will
- Offering ourselvse to God
- Resting in God's Peace

Proverbs 3:5-6

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him, and he will make your paths straight.

Next Steps

- **Love Jesus**: Spend time this week praying through Proverbs 3:5–6. Name one thing you are struggling to understand and intentionally entrust it to God.
- **Connect with Others**: Share a concern or uncertainty with a trusted Christian friend or your group. Invite them to pray with you.
- **Serve the World**: Encourage someone who is facing an uncertain season. Remind them they do not have to walk through it alone.
- **Reach the Lost**: Write a note of peace (Pr 3:5-6, Jn 14:27, Phil 4:6-7, etc.) for someone experiencing anxiety or worry, pray over the person who will find it, and leave it in a public place. Bonus - add a little Jesus.