

# Psalms

## Big Idea

**Psalm 13 expresses deep pain with God, but ends with the choice to trust and praise.**

**Scripture:** Psalm 13

## Discussion Questions

**What has challenged you, changed you or confused you from this week's sermon or the book of Psalms?**

**In the sermon, Johnny noted that David asked God, argued with God, and then affirmed his faith in God. Which of those three comes most naturally for you? Which of the three don't come as easily?**

- Asking
- Arguing
- Affirming

**Can you remember a time when it felt like God was silent? What did you think/feel? How did you come through it?**

**Read Isaiah 55:8-9. How is God's silence an example or illustration of this verse?**

**In verses 5-6 of Psalm 13, list the 3 action verbs David chooses to do. It doesn't seem God has answered David's asking or arguing at this point. What causes David to choose these actions?**

**As you consider your current circumstances, do any of these steps apply to you?**

- Do you need to ask God something?
- Perhaps even argue with Him?
- Do you need to affirm your faith in the midst of the unknown or in the midst of His silence?
- Will you take that step now?