

“Jeremiah 29:13”

Message 4 in the series,

“The 6 Bible Verses that Can Change Your Life”

“You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.”

TODAY'S MAIN IDEA:

God _____ and wants to _____.

LIFE LESSONS FROM THIS PASSAGE

1. God's plans are for either the _____ or the _____ or _____.
2. When we seek God, it shows God:
 - Our _____ to _____
*“Come,” my heart says, “seek His face!”
Your face, Lord, do I seek.” – Psalm 27:8 (NRSV)*
 - How _____ we are in our _____
*“Seek the LORD while He may be found,
call upon Him while He is near...” ~ Isaiah 55:6 (NRSV)*
3. The act of seeking God – more than finding the answers we crave – increases our _____ for greater _____. (See Isaiah 55:8-9)
*“The fear of the LORD is the beginning of wisdom,
and the knowledge of the Holy One is insight.” ~ Proverbs 9:10 (NRSV)*

NOTES:

FOR GROW GROUPS AND PERSONAL REFLECTION:

1. Read Jeremiah 29:1-14 and Isaiah 55:6-9. What parallels do you see in both passages? What messages of both invitation and challenge do you see?
2. Based on Pastor David's definition – “when you're removed from a place or group that has served as a source of your identity” - when have you experienced “exile” personally?
3. As you've listened to the message or as you read the Scripture passages, what is God bringing to your mind and heart? What do you want to do about it?