

Faith And Righteousness

Proclamation Life Groups; Week of Sunday, April 3, 2016; Steve Thiel

Theme of Habakkuk – God is sovereign and just and works all things for our good and His glory, whether we understand them or not. Therefore, God will punish the wicked and always calls the righteous to live by faith.

I. Overview Questions – The Book of Habakkuk

A. Read through the book of Habakkuk and write down the repeated words?

Repeated Words

Verse References

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B. Read through the book of Habakkuk and write down the repeated themes?

Repeated Themes

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II. Questions about Habakkuk’s Complaint Against God – Read Habakkuk 1:1-11

A. What is Habakkuk’s question for God? How does 2 Kings 23 help us understand his question?

B. What is so astounding about God’s answer (vv.5-11) to Habakkuk’s question?

C. List all the wicked characteristics that God states about the Babylonians (vv.5-11)?

III. Questions about Habakkuk’s Confusion With God – Read Habakkuk 1:11-2:1

A. How is Habakkuk’s understanding of God’s character challenged by God’s first answer (v.12)?

B. Who is the “he” in (vv.13-17) and what is Habakkuk’s chief complaint against God?

C. What is Habakkuk’s posture against God (2:1)? Do you ever find yourself in this posture?

IV. Questions about the Clarity That God Brings to Habakkuk – Read Habakkuk 2:2-20

A. What two things are absolutely clear from this section? Hint (2:4) and (2:6-10).

B. After reading Acts 2:22-23, how does Habakkuk 1:1-2:20 point us forward to Jesus?

C. Habakkuk 2:4 says that the righteous shall live by faith. How do the following verses help us to understand what that means? Galatians 3:10-14 and Hebrews 10:32-39.