

## **Small Group Study Guide, Week of January 11, 2026**

**Jeremiah 1**, “The Prophet’s Call—The God Who Speaks,” Pastor Tim Cho

**Ice Breaker:** Where were you born? What stories have you been told about the event?

### **Dig:**

1. Before studying the passage, take some time to read the introduction to Jeremiah from your study bible or commentary. When did Jeremiah live? What was taking place in and around Israel? What was Israel’s relationship with her neighbors? What new facts did you learn from this exercise?
2. How did the “word of the Lord” come to Jeremiah? How far back does God’s relationship with Jeremiah go? (v5) How does Jeremiah respond to God’s call? What does God say and do to confirm his call to Jeremiah?
3. In verses 11-15, what object lessons does God give Jeremiah? What do they mean? Why is God going to punish his people?
4. From verses 17-19, what opposition will Jeremiah face in his ministry? What does he need to do to meet it? What does God promise to do for him?

### **Apply:**

5. How does God communicate with you? How do you know?
6. When God communicates with you, how do you tend to respond? (Trusting? Suspicious? Fearful? Other?) What will you do about that?

Adapted from Serendipity Bible (1988), This Morning with God (1978), Search the Scriptures (1978)