



## SERMON DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

*Week of June 20 & 21, 2020*

*Please use these questions to stay connected as a church to meditate on the same sermon preached from God's Word this week. May this be a fruitful time for the building up of our church and for the spread of the gospel.*

### **Sermon Text**

2 Samuel 19:9-43

*If you were not able to listen to this week's sermon, then please refer to this link to listen prior to answering these questions, <http://hawaiichurch.org/sermononline>*

### **Summary**

King David must lead a rebellious nation back to repentance and wholeness. Through King David, we see a foreshadowing of a greater King to come - King Jesus!

### **Discussion Questions**

1. King David forgives the rebellious tribe of Judah and sways the hearts of all the men of Judah as one man so that they bring David back as their King. How do you respond when someone wrongs you? How does your response help lead that person to repentance?
2. Shimei was sorry, but not repentant. What do you think constitutes true repentance? What role does repentance play in a person's salvation?
3. Mephibosheth considered himself a dead dog before the king. Why might this be considered a good thing? How do you see yourself before a holy, just, and merciful God?

4. What motivates people to give and sacrifice like Barzillai? How can we become more like him?
5. Israel argued about whether to bring David back as king but when Judah does precisely that, Israel was enraged. How does this event speak to our need for a Savior?