



**Life Group Questions
(Haggai 2:1-9)**

1. Read Haggai 2:1-9 together. What stands out to you from this passage? What questions come to mind? What impacted you from the sermon?
2. How could it be that after only 1 month of building, the people in Jerusalem were already discouraged? Have you experienced that in your own life? Have you had moments of great victory and freedom followed by setbacks and discouragements?
3. On Sunday, Pastor Andrew gave 4 ways we can move through discouragement. The first was to draw our strength from God. What are ways we can do this? Do you feel strengthened when you spend time in God's word and in prayer? Why or why not?
4. The second way was to remember what God has done for us in the past. Do you often think back to ways God has been faithful to you? (Even now, spend a few moments sharing how God has been good and gracious to you in the past)
5. The third way to move through discouragement was to remember and trust that God's spirit is with us. Look up the following passages that promise God being with us:
 - Isaiah 41:10
 - Joshua 1:9
 - Romans 8:38-39
 - Zephaniah 3:17
6. The last way to move through discouragement was to remember we are apart of an unshakeable kingdom. What do you think it means that Jesus' kingdom is unshakeable? How do we practically live out that kind of confidence?

Spend some time in prayer together. Pray that God would strengthen you in the midst of discouragement. Ask God to remind you of his goodness and faithfulness. Thank God for the gift of his spirit with us always.