

Home Group Questions – Psalm 146

- If you had to describe your feelings at this point in the pandemic, what would you say? What colour might best represent them?
- What has been your experience of trying to praise God during these last few months?
- In what ways might verse 5 be true?
- How do you respond to the claim I make in saying, *"In these times when anxiety is so prevalent, and there is so much we cannot control, the challenge of our faith is to go on trusting that God is there, God is good, God is on our side?"*
- How might praising the creator help our worrying?
- How have you understood what the Bible says about the Christians responsibility to the oppressed, the helpless, and those who are especially vulnerable and have lost hope?
- *"Justice is the business of Jesus the Messiah"*. In what sense is this right or wrong?
- Krish Kandiah says a that any church serious about mission has to involve itself in caring for the vulnerable and broken. How are we doing in this area at KPC do you think? What challenges do we face?
- How aware do you think we are of the challenges facing developing countries in this pandemic? If the Lord *"gives food to the hungry"*, how might he be calling us to respond to the issue of food poverty and hunger globally?
- *"Believing in this God of hope means believing that things need not be as they are, that they can be different, that we can make for humankind a different future."* How do you react to this thought?
- Overall, what feelings or thoughts does psalm 146 produce in you?