

Smile At The Storm

Sermon Study Guide for Small Groups

5-10 Minutes

Opening Questions:

- * Can you remember seeing a storm, movie, etc. that terrified you? What made this so scary?
- * What have you learned about God during times of crisis?

20-30 Minutes

Bible Study:

- * What point stood out to you the most from Pastor Bryan's sermon on faith in the storms of life?
 - * How was the message challenging, helpful or troubling?
- * Read Mark 4:35-41. What emotions did the disciples experience? How do you picture them relating to each other during the storm?
- * How bad was the storm? See Mark 4:37
- * How was Jesus able to sleep during this storm? Why did the disciples interpret Jesus' sleep as Him not caring? See Mark 4:38
- * What is the problem with being afraid during a crisis? See Mark 4:40
- * What was Jesus revealing to the disciples about Himself?

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Apply:

- * How do react to Jesus when He appears to be asleep during the storms in your life?
 - * What do you imagine Jesus saying to you during this COVID-19 crisis?
 - * How can you exercise faith in Jesus' storm-calming power today?
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