



DIGGING DEEPER

Psalm 146 – Praise the God of the Gospel

PLEASE READ – Psalm 146

GETTING STARTED

Chat about who you turn to instinctively in times of need...

What do we learn about praising God in v1-2?

1) THE WARNING: DON'T PUT YOUR TRUST IN PEOPLE (V3-4)

Who are the 'princes' in v3-4 and what do we learn about them?

Why does the Psalmist also speak about human beings in general?

What does v3-4 actually look like in practice? Does the Psalmist mean we should never trust other people? Are the words of Jesus in John 2v23-25 helpful in this area?

Who are the 'princes' and 'human beings' in your life who you sometimes turn to before the LORD?

2) THE BLESSING: DO PUT YOUR TRUST IN GOD (V5-10)

Why does the Psalmist follow up v5 with v6-10?

What are the characteristics of the LORD that stand out in v6-10?

Chat about all the contrasts you can find in this Psalm between the 'princes' of this world and the God of heaven...

Where can you see Jesus in this Psalm?

Turn your conversation to prayer and to praise...

Meditate on the words of Jesus below...

Psalm 146v5: Blessed are those whose help is the God of Jacob,
whose hope is in the LORD their God.