

Where is God?
God Is at Work Through the Faithfulness of His People
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Esther 4

God works when we _____ with the things He cares about.

God works when we say yes to things beyond our _____.

Sermon questions

Our series in Esther is called “Where is God?” because God is never mentioned in the book, which invites you to become someone who looks for where He is at work, even when it isn’t obvious.

Use these questions to discuss the message from Sunday, focusing on how you can **grow** as an everyday follower of Jesus and how you can **go** accomplish what Jesus calls you to do.

1. Where do you see God at work in **Esther 4**?
2. Esther at first resists going to the king because of the great personal risk involved (**vv. 9-11**). When in your life has God asked you to do something that you did not want to do? How did you respond?
3. Have someone read **Esther 4:12-14**. Think about exact circumstances of your life right now and where God has placed you in this moment. What opportunities has God uniquely given you right now to **go** and represent Jesus to people?

4. Have someone read **Esther 4:15-16**. Esther includes her faith community by asking them to fast (and pray) with her. How can your group **grow** in supporting one another as you follow Jesus together?

5. What difficult thing is God calling you to say yes to right now? Have someone read **Romans 8:38-39**. How can the truth of these verses give you confidence to say yes to God?

Read the Bible this year

Pastor Brad encouraged us to read the Bible in 2020. Here's some help getting started. Each day this week read from the Old and New Testament. Or, if you prefer, read just from one testament. Enjoy!

- **Isaiah 47-49; 1 Thessalonians 4**
- **Isaiah 50-52; 1 Thessalonians 5**
- **Isaiah 53-55; 2 Thessalonians 1**
- **Isaiah 56-58; 2 Thessalonians 2**
- **Isaiah 59-61; 2 Thessalonians 3**
- **Isaiah 62-64; 1 Timothy 1**
- **Isaiah 65-66; 1 Timothy 2**