

## **Discussion Questions - 9/8/24**

### Living in Exile - Daniel 1

Here are three basic questions you can always ask in any bible study:

- What does this text teach us about God?
- What does this text teach us about ourselves?
- If this text is true, what should we do to obey this teaching? This answer ought to be specific, in that it can be clearly measured.

Here are some specific questions about this text:

1. Do you sense the conflict between being a citizen of this world but actually being a citizen of heaven? In what ways do you experience that tension?
2. How can you remind yourself that you are a citizen of a different kingdom with allegiances to a different king?
3. In what ways do you sense that God is calling you to bless 'your Babylon'? (Community, neighborhood, school, workplace, town etc.)
4. How can you connect the gospel (God works in weakness) to your personal situation as living as an exile?