



Small Group Questions:

May 16th, 2021 Pastor Ed
"Listening to God: Silent Prayer"

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1. As you read through Mark 9:2-7, what are some of your observations?
2. Bonus: As they come down from the Transfiguration: Jesus' disciples are questioned on healing which only comes through prayer and fasting in Verse 29. Is this a coincidence?
3. Why do you think Listening to God could be the greatest gift we have to experience? How has this worked in your life before?
4. Why is it so hard to be silent before God?
5. How can we cultivate a continued shared presence with God?
6. Can we still sense God's presence when we are busy? Is it possible or just harder to do?
7. What does this verse tell you about the character of God? "But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him." Luke 15:20
8. What needs to change for you to spend silent contemplative time with God?
9. Renewed view of God? Renewed view of self? Change in schedule? What is stopping you?