



### Why Psalms?

- Captures the spectrum of our emotions of life
- Reminds us of God's nature and heartbeat for us

#### Psalm 8

- Written by David
- Praise Psalm
- Only 9 verses but quoted 3 times in NT

### Reading Psalm 8 together:

- What does it tell you about God?
- What does it tell you about Man?
- How does this change the way you live?

O **Lord**, our **Lord**, how majestic is your name in all the earth! You have set your **glory** above the heavens.





Out of the mouth of babies and infants, you have **established strength** because of your foes, to still the enemy and the avenger.

<sup>3</sup> When I look at your heavens, the work of your fingers, the moon and the stars, which you have set in place, <sup>4</sup> what is man that you are **mindful** of him, and the son of man that you **care** for him?

PSALM 8:3-4

Yet you have made him a little lower than the heavenly beings and crowned him with **glory** and honor.

<sup>6</sup> You have given him **dominion** over the works of your hands; you have put all things **under** his feet, <sup>7</sup> all sheep and oxen, and also the beasts of the field, <sup>8</sup> the birds of the heavens, and the fish of the sea, whatever passes along the paths of the seas.

PSALM 8:6-8

O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is your name in all the earth!

## What does it tell you about God?

- He is the Creator
- He is majestic
- He cares for man

## What does it tell you about Man?

- We learn to make Him Lord
- When we are weak, He is strong
- We are created to rule with Him

# How does it change the way you live?

- Live confidently
- Live restfully
- Live overcoming