

Elijah: When God Seems Unfair

Text: 1 Kings 18:1-16

Purpose: *To motivate ourselves to continue to live a life of mission throughout our whole life, even when life seems unfair.*

Opening Question: What is the best job you ever had?

Read and Discuss: 1 Kings 18:1

1. *How has God grown your faith through dry/slow spiritual times?*
2. *Can you remember a time when God seemed distant or quiet? What was it like? How does waiting prepare us for what God could do next?*

Read and Discuss: 1 Kings 18:2-6

3. *How does God use you in environments with not many Christians? Neighborhoods, work, clubs, etc.*
4. *Besides family who are the people that God has strategically placed around your life to demonstrate Jesus too?*
5. *How can we demonstrate Jesus to people without being obnoxious?*

Read and Discuss: 1 Kings 18:7-16

6. *When we follow God should we always expect life to be fair? How do you follow God when life seems unfair?*
7. *Who is one person that you can serve/encourage this week?*