## Why Are You Downcast O My Soul? (God's Songbook: A Journey Through the Psalms – Part 12) March 19, 2023

The Passage: Psalm 42

## Life Group Questions for the Week of March 19, 2023

- 1. What questions do you have from Sunday's message? What stood out to you or grabbed your attention?
- 2. Why is the psalmist depressed? What causes us to feel depressed?
- 3. What memories does the psalmist call upon to to try and help him feel better? Does it work? Why or why not?
- 4. What knowledge does the psalmist use to try and help him feel better? Does it work? Why or why not?
- 5. Does desiring God mean you won't feel depressed? Why or why not?
- 6. Share a time you felt depressed. How did you navigate that experience?
- 7. Why is this Psalm included in the scriptures?
- 8. Why doesn't this Psalm end happy? Why does it end still down and depressed?
- 9. How can this Psalm help you and strengthen you in the future?