

## Bible study questions WS 25 10 20

Read Psalm 73

- Verse 1 represents the official version of faith. What sort of things were you taught about God as a child?
- Verse 2 announces a crisis of faith. What sort of things led you to doubt what you were taught to believe?
- Read through verses 3 - 12. What are the things that gave rise to doubt or confusion in Asaph's faith?
- Do you have similar concerns today? Give examples.
- Asaph reaches a turning point in verse 17. Where and how does this happen? What stimulates you to turn away from doubt and despair and go deeper in your faith?
- The sermon spoke of Asaph's sense of the Ultimate and the Intimate. No human success lasts forever. What endures is our intimate connection with God. Is this enough to keep you faithful?
- The Psalm reaffirms faith in the setting of a confused world. Is it right to find joy and delight even in a time of global pandemic and local restrictions? How can we do so, and also care about the concerns of our neighbours?