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## **Life Group Sermon Based Questions**

### **"Working Through Hardship"**

**(Psalm 119:25-32)**

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1. If you are able, visit [newcitycatechism.com](http://newcitycatechism.com) and since we are in week 19, find week 19 and go through the catechism. As the leader, read the question and the group can read the answer together and then you or someone in your group can read the commentary. Then pray the prayer together.
2. What, in particular from the sermon, stood out for you? What did the Holy Spirit speak to your heart from the message? (Don't go to deep here, just an introductory sharing.)
3. The psalmist was going through some serious stuff, with even his life being in danger, perhaps by a wicked enemy. Share one of your toughest situations that you've been through. Do you remember what you were feeling? Share with your group.
4. Why do you think it is that even when we are going through such trying times, that we don't go to prayer? Have you had that experience? Why do you think it was so? With which of the reasons given in the sermon do you resonate?
5. Look at the 4 reasons from the sermon on why we need to go to the word of God when we pray during our suffering. Of those four reasons, which one speaks to you most?
6. Consider the next big trial that you'll go through. How might you approach it differently (and better) than you have done in the past?
7. God never wastes our suffering. 7 reasons were given for why God allows the suffering occurs in our lives. Which of these have you experienced? How did it grow you?
8. Christ is the one that has suffered more than anyone. He alone knows the depths of the suffering we are going through. Take some time to pray and cast your anxieties and cares upon Him, for He cares for us.