



**Dig Deeper @Home – “A God like No Other”  
Complement to sermon on 03/29/2020 – “Divine Ruler”**

**ICE BREAKER – ask these to open dialogue and learn more about those gathered**

1. If you had to watch one tv show over and over again, what would it be?
2. Tell something about yourself to those around you that you don't think they know.

**MEMORIZE – Micah 7: 18-19**

Who is a God like you, pardoning iniquity and passing over transgression for the remnant of his inheritance? He does not retain his anger forever, because he delights in steadfast love. He will again have compassion on us; he will tread our iniquities underfoot. You will cast all our sins into the depths of the sea.

**READ Micah 5**

**Questions to ponder/discuss:**

1. What sticks out to you in this passage?
2. What did you like? What didn't you like?
3. What general observations can you make? Anything repeated? Contrasted? Compared?
4. Who fulfills the prophecy of verse 2? Check out Matthew 2: 1-12.
5. Read again verses 10-15. Who is the “I” and what is the “I” doing? Who are the “your” and what are they losing? How does this relate to each of us in 2020?
6. What is this passage revealing about God?
7. What is it revealing about us as humans?
8. If the above is true, what needs to change in your life or what truth from above do you need to apply in your life and how will you do that?

## **Experiential activity – Lenten Revelation**

God is not impressed with what His people are putting their trust in (v10-15). Some of the things listed were not morally wrong (and some definitely were) so what was the problem? Even good things can be bad things if they become god things. Take time this week and ask God to reveal to you by the Holy Spirit any good thing which you have made a God thing. **Repent** of these and ask for help in putting your hope fully in God. Anything other than God that you look to for security, identity or hope. In the same way, ask Him to reveal anywhere you have allowed anything immoral into your life. **Remove** any of these from your life. We can trust that through Jesus God will forgive us and fully cleanse us of any of these things (1<sup>st</sup> John 1:9)

## **SING (suggested songs to sing. Use these or any song you might want to sing)**

Ever Be - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BhasSpSBdEE>

O Praise the Name - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LqBpifDpNKc>

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name – Mennonite Hymnal 95

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G-N9\\_SdxW4c](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G-N9_SdxW4c)

## **PRAY**

This is a time to gather around for prayer requests and to share how you have seen God at work. A time to hear where God is showing up in our lives and where we need Him to help us in our lives.

## **Sending prayer based on the lesson:**

Happy are those whose sins are covered, whose transgressions are forgiven.

For great is the free gift of grace and great is the love that surrounds those who trust in the Lord.

Receive then this gift of grace and walk in the way of love. Amen.