

## WHEN GOD IS SILENT!

PSALM 13

The \_\_\_\_\_ to God. Vv. 1-2

The \_\_\_\_\_ to God. Vv. 3-4

The \_\_\_\_\_ to trust God. Vv. 5-6

**Take Home Idea:** When God is \_\_\_\_\_, lean into \_\_\_\_\_

## FURTHER STUDY QUESTIONS

### Opening

- Review Pastor Joel's sermon and Take Home Idea. What struck you about the sermon? What do you have questions about?
- Have you ever been forgotten by someone who was supposed to pick you up? How did you feel?

### Dig

- Look at the three sections of this Psalm (vs. 1-2; vs. 3-4; vs. 5-6). What titles would you give each of them?
- What are the three persons David complains about in vs. 1-2? (Hint: God, vs. 1; the other two in vs 2).
- What do you think David is dealing with? Physical pain? Threat to his life? Or other?
- What is it that turns David's complaint to a commitment to trust? What has David experienced in the past?

### Reflect

- Have you ever felt like David does here? For how long? Did praying help?
- What would you suggest to someone who has felt like God is silent and forgotten them?
- Close this time by praying together as a family.