

RESILIENT

NEW MESSAGE SERIES THIS SUNDAY

Where does hope come from? Never from our circumstances, but from a good God who has not and will not change.

ICE BREAKER

If you could choose any cartoon character to quarantine with, who would you choose and why?

TALK ABOUT IT

1 **Summarize** the parts of Joseph's story that we learned about today in your own words. Describe what happened and what Joseph went through.

2 It doesn't matter how gifted and talented you are--pride will always take you down. What do you think made Joseph so prideful? Have you ever experienced pride in relationships with others?

3 Have someone wearing pajamas **read Ephesians 3:20**. Think back to Joseph's story. How did God show up in a way greater than what Joseph could even imagine? How has this been true in your own life?

4 Ask someone who showered today to **read Jeremiah 29:11**. How did God reveal his plan and purpose to Joseph through the ups and downs? How is God working out his plan for your life, even during hard times?

5 Whoever read #4 gets to choose someone to **read James 1:12**. What are practical ways to persevere right now? When you choose to accept God's help and trust him as you persevere through hardships, who is directly impacted? Why does this matter?

RESPOND

God has gifted you with specific gifts to offer those around you to help them endure this time.

- Who will you encourage this week?
- How will you do that?