



This week we considered the final section of James' letter as he urges his readers to pray in all situations and circumstances! For a double-minded people (1v8, 4v8), no doubt prone to compartmentalisation, to be reminded that God – the author of life is the one whom we always look to is a helpful tonic.

We noted the 4 situations that James outlines:

- when suffering

What have we seen of suffering already in James? Why should we turn to God when we're suffering? How do we get better at doing that?

- when smiling

Why is hard to praise God when life is good? See Deuteronomy 8v10-18.

- when sick

Why are we to call the elders for prayer? Will God always answer? Why or why not?

- when sinful

What do we learn about the power of confession to one another? Why is this?

What does Elijah bring to the argument? (see also 1 Kings 18v16-21).

What is the antidote to our 'double-mindedness'?

What 1 thing will you take away from this series in James?