



Sermon Discussion Questions

Comfort, Comfort // Isaiah 40:1-5

- How would you describe your 2020?
- What's happened in you in 2020? Have you found yourself growing in grace and virtue, in cynicism and impatience, in self-focus and withdrawal?
- Where have you been looking for comfort in 2020?
- Pastor Jeff said, "Comfort comes from seeing God's heart." Do you agree? Disagree? Why or why not?
- "Comfort" in Isaiah 40 means to console and empathize, but also to strengthen and encourage. What task or challenge do you need to be "comforted" for?
- Part of seeing God's heart is seeing his goodness. How has God been good to you in 2020? In what parts of your life do you need to see God's goodness?
- How does seeing what it cost God to redeem us open your eyes to his goodness?

- Another part of seeing God’s heart is seeing his greatness. What things, desires, or people do we tend to ascribe “greatness” to?
- How have you seen God’s greatness? How have you responded to that?
- How does the promise of seeing God's glory – his greatness – encourage you?

