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Jonathan's Story God Moves • We Follow

Divine Dependence ...Digging Deeper into the Word

Read more of Jonathan's story in **1 Samuel 20**.

- Jonathan has already stepped aside for David to become king. Now he risks his life to keep David safe. How do you think Jonathan felt?
- Have you ever had to risk yourself to protect someone else? How did you depend on God?

Read **Psalm 131**, a short poem about humility and submission to God.

- What are some of the "great matters" you let yourself worry about?
- Where do you find contentment in your faith journey?

Read **Luke 9:46-50**.

- What are the disciples concerned about in this exchange? What is Jesus concerned about?
- Reflect on 9:50. Who or what in your life might be "for you" even though you haven't thought of it that way?

Read **1 Corinthians 3**; Paul is addressing a conflict about leaders in the church.

- In your walk of faith, do you ever feel like you're trying to make something grow (vv. 6-7)? What is Paul's response to this?

Continue to reflect and pray...

God of wisdom, thank you for calling me to be your servant. As I depend on you, give me humility to submit to whatever you want me to do - even if it means looking foolish by human standards. Amen.