

UNSTUCK

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EMBRACE YOUR PLACE

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This weekend we enjoyed a powerful message by Danny Strange, Senior Pastor of Three Crosses Church. As we continue in our series UNSTUCK, Pastor Danny addresses the reality that during this season there are lots of people evaluating why they've chosen to live in the Bay area.

BIG IDEA: If you want to get UNSTUCK, you need to embrace your place.

READ Jeremiah 29:1-11—These passages talk about a time when God's people were *carried into exile* by King Nebuchadnezzar. Jeremiah wrote to the captives in Babylon instructing them to move ahead with their lives and to pray for the nation that enslaved them.

As a Christian, the Bay Area can be a really hard place to raise a family (values, struggles, safety, housing). Although tested by these hard challenges, God wants to see our broken region filled with people who faithfully worship Him.

Below are the three challenges from today's message. Read the challenges and then talk through the Discussion Questions.

1. UNPACK YOUR BOXES
2. STOP COMPLAINING, AND START PRAYING
3. GET TO WORK HUMBLY FIXING WHATEVER GRIEVES YOU IN THIS PLACE

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Do you ever think about moving out of the Bay Area? Why or why not?
2. How might God be calling you to raise the spiritual vitality of your region?
3. How might God be calling you to fix some social issues in your region?

COMMIT TO MEMORY—*"Seek the peace and prosperity of the city to which I have carried you into exile. Pray to the Lord for it, because if it prospers, you too will prosper."*
Jeremiah 29:7

CHALLENGE— Ask God to show you how you can devote your life to bringing the Kingdom to the Bay Area.