

IT'S TIME (Haggai 1:1 – 2:23)
Sunday, September 20, 2009
Study Questions

1. When do you think a person or church needs to seek God for revival? Are there times in your life when you feel a greater need to seek God for revival than at other times? When have you felt a greater need to seek God for revival? Why? Is now one of those times you feel you need to seek God for revival?
2. Read Haggai 1:1-12
3. What priorities had the Jews allowed themselves to pursue in their lives that ended up crowding God out of first place?
4. What competing priorities do you struggle with that end up crowding God out of first place? Take time to pray as a group and allow individuals to confess any misplaced priorities.
5. Do you struggle with whose approval to seek? Are you allowing the fear of man to choke the spiritual life out of you? Are you struggling with the fear of rejection? How? (see Matthew 13:21-22).
6. What priority has God's Word and obedience to it, had in your life today? This week? Share an example if you can. If God's Word hasn't been a priority in your life recently, ask God to give you a fresh love for it. Commit yourself to seek God in His Word each day this coming week.
7. Read Haggai 2:4-9
8. Have you relinquished ownership of everything in your life? How? If not, why not?
9. God promises His presence, power, provisions and peace as we seek Him with all our hearts. In what ways does this motivate you to seek Him?

10. End with a time of praise and thanksgiving in prayer.