

YAHWEH SHALOM MEMORY VERSE

Philippians 4:6-8: Do not be anxious about anything, but in every situation, by prayer and petition, with thanksgiving, present your requests to God. And the peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Opener: Read Judges 6:13-15. Share with your group about a time you were on a team or in a group what was the weakest and share your experience. Were you stronger or just as weak?

- Read Judges 6:13-14: When was the last time God called you to a task or mission and you felt ill-equipped to complete such a task? What was your response and why?
- 2. Read Romans 5:1: How often do you go through trials and seek peace from someone or something else? What does it look like when you remember to turn to God for peace that is found only through Jesus?
- 3. Pastor Craig talked about stumbling blocks and how we need to tear down whatever is in the way of us experiencing the peace of God or peace with God. Take a minute and think about what needs to be torn down for you to experience Yahweh Shalom and discuss with your group.

Putting it into action: Ask God to search you and the life you're living and reveal all stumbling blocks that are preventing you from experiencing the freedom that comes from claiming peace with God. Write these down and ask for the Holy Spirit to intervene on your behalf to start overcoming these blocks.