



- 1) Read Ecclesiastes 3:1-8... Based on what you've experienced in the past few years how would you finish this sentence for yourself: "It has been a time to \_\_\_\_\_ and a time to \_\_\_\_\_."
  
- 2) Read Ecclesiastes 3:14-15... Considering Ecclesiastes 3:1-8 and humanity's view of time, how does God's perspective of time compare and contrast to our own?
  
- 3) In Ecclesiastes 3:11 Solomon says that "... [God] has put eternity into man's heart". Based on the following passages, what do you think this phrase means for us?
  - Daniel 12:2-3
  - Matthew 16:26
  - Romans 8:18-25
  
- 4) In three chapters we've seen the same question pop up (Ecclesiastes 1:3, 2:22, and 3:9). Based on what we've read so far in Ecclesiastes how do you think Solomon would answer to this question? Do you agree with Solomon?
  
- 5) Read Ecclesiastes 3:18-20... Solomon claims that "...man has no advantage over beasts". What do you think Solomon is trying to say in this section?

What can you do this week to provide a greater meaning to life than any beast could provide?