

**Series: STORIES WORTH TELLING**

**Title: Yes! It's Good, So Good!**

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Scott began his message with two stories of MS'ers and HS'ers connecting with homeless people in Portland. What struck you about them?

How did those stories relate to the title of his message, "Yes! It's Good, So Good!" And, what does that mean?

Read the story the message is based on from 2 Kings 5:1-17.

Three people in the story demonstrate: Faith, Humility, and Obedience. How did Scott define these?

If you had been in the sandals of this young slave and learned that your master, the man responsible for you becoming a slave had an incurable disease, how would you have responded? What makes her comment to her mistress so remarkable? How can we become like her?

It's not unusual to try extreme and expensive measures to find cures. Would you have believed a slave girl's recommendation? Why or why not?

Meanwhile the King of Israel finds himself in trouble, see 5:4-8 and then 10-13. He is supposed to provide healing for something that can't be healed, for someone who happens to be an enemy of the state. He's not the only one who's stressed out. Look at 10-13. General Naaman had a man-sized temper tantrum when he heard Elisha's healing protocol. Why was that? How are we like these men? What can we learn about keeping our cool and finding relief from their stories?

What's the deal with the dirt? Are you a "dirt" person: someone who takes back meaningful items to remind you to continue a spiritual experience?

Time allowing, pick one of the following for each person to answer.

- A. Tell the group about a recent time when you've seen God work and said to him or to yourself, 'Yes! It's Good, So Good!' or
- B. Tell the group what you think your next step is to see God work.