

Regardless

Mark 15:25-39

We can remain “all in”
even through our _____ times

1. Hold _____ to our _____

2. Hold _____ to our _____

3. Hold _____ to God’s _____

For Further Reflection and Discussion

Opener: What ability do you possess that you like the most?

How did God speak to you or work in you at church this Sunday?

What are some ways that people tend to respond to the idea that life can be painful at times?

- What are ways that you have seen Christians respond to this idea?

Read Mark 14:25-39. From what you see in these verses, and from what you know of what comes before them, what are some ways that Jesus suffers?

In his crucifixion, how does Jesus show that he fulfills the great commandments of Mark 12:29-31?

In what ways is Jesus’ identity emphasized in this account of his crucifixion?

How can suffering make it challenging for us to remember who we are?

- How can remembering who we are help us to respond well to suffering?

Is it ever necessary for us to suffer in order to fulfill God’s mission for us? Why or why not?

Read Mark 10:33-34. How do you think knowing this helped Jesus when he was on the cross?

What promises from God have you held on to when you have endured hard seasons in your life?

How does the promise of resurrection help us stay “all in” when we are suffering?

How can we pray for one another?