

ARE WE THERE YET?

Week 3

BRBC Groups

October 17, 2021

Scripture | Jeremiah 29

- Ice Breaker** |
1. Do you have a favourite bible verse? If so, what is it, and why?
 2. What do you prefer: a phone call or a letter in the mail? Why?

- Going Deeper** |
1. Is there anything that stood out to you from Sunday's message, or do you have any questions?
 2. When you feel overwhelmed, what do you usually do?
 3. Read Jeremiah 29:1-14
 4. What is the context of Jeremiah's letter to the people?
 5. Why do you think Jeremiah chose to write this as opposed to speaking it? What effect might the written word of had that the spoken word might not have had?
 6. What question is Jeremiah answering in his letter?
 7. What do you think about Jeremiah's response as to what people should do while in exile?
 8. Why do you think God told people to keep living amid exile?
 9. What principles can we apply to our lives?
 10. Verse 11 is a very well-known verse. In the message this week, Rob commented that the word plans might be better translated as thoughts. What difference does the word thoughts as opposed to plans make to your understanding of this passage?
 11. What does it mean to you that God's thoughts towards you are for your good?
 12. Have you ever experienced where God used a bad situation in your life to bring about good?
 13. How can we pray for each other this week?