Discussion Questions – Haggai 1: A Call to Service

1. Why do you think the people in Haggai's day said, "It is not time to rebuild the house of the LORD"?
2. How can comfort and busyness become excuses that keep us from serving God today?
3. What does it mean for us to "consider our ways" (v. 5)? In what areas might God be calling you to do this personally?
4. How did God get the people's attention when they refused to make Him their priority? (vv. 6–11)
5. Why is it dangerous to assume that because "things haven't fallen apart," we must be doing fine spiritually?
6. What changed when the people obeyed? What promise did God give them in response? (vv. 12–13)
7. How does God's presence ("I am with you") motivate and empower believers to serve Him today?
8. In what ways can our church keep from "just getting by" and instead live as God's people on mission?