RIDGEVIEW CHURCH

Week of 11/22/2026

Read: Habakkuk 3:17-19
Connect Questions:

1. What did the losses in verse 17 mean for Habakkuk's people? What things do we depend on today that can leave us feeling insecure when they are threatened?

2. What is your "although" right now? What would it look like to bring that concern honestly to God?

3. What do the two "I wills" in verse 18 tell us about Habakkuk's response? How can we choose to worship without pretending we are not hurting?

4. What situation is beyond your control? What response can you choose with God's help this week?

5. How does the picture of deer's feet on high hills help you understand God's sustaining strength? Where do you need that strength today?

Memory Verse: Habakkuk 3:18 NKJV "Yet I will rejoice in the LORD, I will joy in the God of my salvation."

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Title: "<u>Although</u>... <u>Yet</u>... <u>Because</u>..."

Scripture: Habakkuk 3:17-19

1. <u>Although</u> — Be honest about what you are facing (v.17)

- Habakkuk pictured fig trees without blossoms, vines without fruit, failed olive crops, empty fields, and missing flocks and herds.
    - These were the things his people depended on for food and livelihood.
    - He acknowledged how difficult life could become.

2. <u>Yet</u> — Choose to rejoice in the Lord (v.18)

- Habakkuk said, "I will rejoice" and "I will joy."
    - Even with trouble ahead, he chose to turn toward the God of his salvation.
    - He could not control the coming invasion, but he could choose where to place his trust.

3. <u>Because</u> — Depend on the Lord for strength (v.19)

- Habakkuk's confidence rested in this truth: "The LORD God is my strength."
    - Like a deer equipped to move over rugged ground, he trusted God to give him secure footing through the days ahead.
    - "He will make me walk" expresses God enabling him.