

# Don't take God for granted

## Ezekiel 8-11

### Hell on earth, fire from heaven, & where is God?

- Horror stories
- Deep issues
- The God of the Bible

### Take a look at this (8:6,12,15,17)

- First look (8:5-6)
- Second look (8:7-13)
- Third look (8:14-15)
- Fourth look (8:16-17)

### The anger of God (8:18)

- Retribution (9:1-2,9-10; 10:1-2; 11:21)
- Withdrawal (9:3; 10:18-19; 11:22-23)
- But first... (9:2-4,8; 11:13-17,19-20; Eph 1:13-14; Rev 7:1-4)

### Ezekiel for today

- Promise: God keeps his word (Luke 12:4-5)
- Warning: Don't take God for granted (Eph 5:3-5; Col 3:5)
- Hope: Spiritual transformation for God's people