

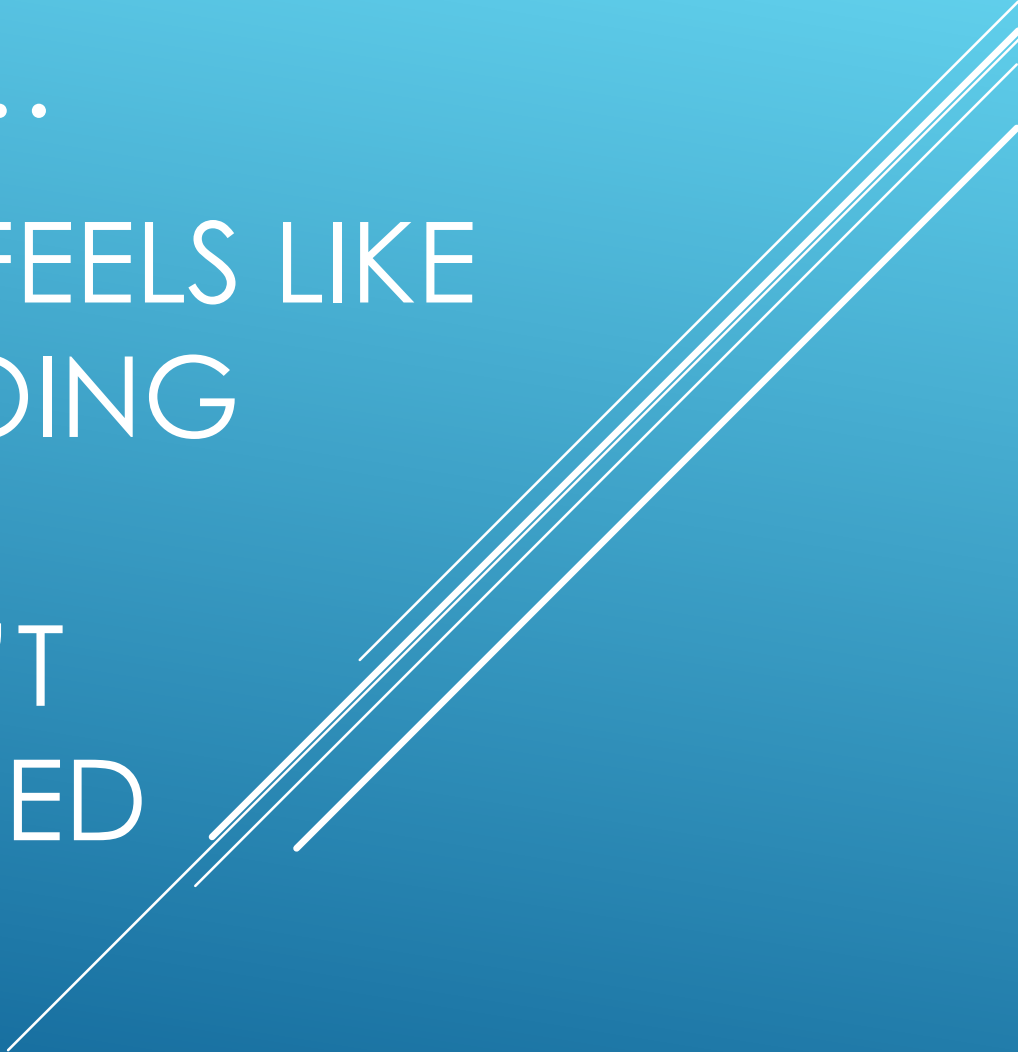
LENT TALK #6

FAITH AND KEEPING IT
ALIVE

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GREAT IS THY
FAITHFULNESS...

EVEN WHEN IT FEELS LIKE
NOTHING IS GOING
RIGHT AND MY
PRAYERS AREN'T
BEING ANSWERED

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“CHRISTIANS ARE NEVER URGED
TO SEEK SUFFERING; THEY ARE,
HOWEVER, ENCOURAGED TO
RECOGNISE THAT SUFFERING IS
AN EXTRAORDINARY TEACHER...
MOURNERS ENDURE SUFFERING
AND THE BLESS-ED ONES AMONG
THEM EXPERIENCE THE COMFORT
OF GOD”

KENNETH E. BAILEY

KEEPING FAITH ALIVE

- PRAYER
- RELATIONSHIP NOT RELIGION
- KEEP TRUSTING AND BELIEVING
- STEP OUT IN FAITH
- SHARE YOUR STRUGGLES
- BE THANKFUL AND LOOK FOR THE POSITIVES

RESPONSE TIME



LORD, THANK YOU FOR WORKING
IN MY LIFE, EVEN IN WAYS THAT
LOOK LIKE FAILURE.

HELP ME KEEP MY EYES ON YOU
AND NOT ON MY SITUATION.

HELP ME TRUST YOU MORE,
ESPECIALLY WHEN I FACE WHAT
LOOKS LIKE A DISAPPOINTMENT.

IN JESUS' NAME,
AMEN.

QUESTIONS IN HOUSE GROUPS

1) HOW DO YOU COPE WHEN YOU DON'T SEE PRAYERS ANSWERED?

2) HOW STRONG IS YOUR SUPPORT NETWORK?

3) HOW CAN YOU SUPPORT OTHERS?