Session 1
Who is in Control?
Psalm 104

1. Wendell's Dilemma

2. God's Immense Control

   a. Creation

   b. Nations

   c. Events

   d. You!

3. Big Questions…

   a. Can I trust him?

   b. Does God just know the future?

   c. Does that mean I have no choice?

   d. Is God tainted by sin?

4. Responding to God's Control

Questions:

1. We have seen that the Bible presents a picture of God being in control of all things. How do you reconcile this with the presence of evil in the world?
2. If God <u>is</u> in control, do our decisions matter? Can I just make a foolish or sinful decision to see what God will do with it?
3. If God really is working through <u>all</u> things for my good, how should I think about the most painful experiences of my life?