## BEYOND SUNDAY WEEK SIX

There may not be a better tribute to the Holy Scriptures than the one that is provided in Psalm 119. Every verse in Psalm 119 exalts the Word of God and the God of the Word. During this 10-week summer series, **Finding The Way**, we get back to the basics of allowing Scripture to help us grow in gratitude, awe, and dependence on God and His Word. In doing so, we believe it will guide us in the best way we should go in whatever comes our way. **This week in Psalm 119:97-120**, we focus on how finding the way involves something that is sweet, shines, and provides safety.

- 1. Where are you with gratitude, awe, and dependence? Which is easier or harder to lean into? Which one do you want more of?
- 2. Read <u>Psalm 119:97-104</u>. What is the psalmist's attitude (gratitude, awe or dependence)? How has he benefited from the law (Word of God)? Why do you think he uses the term "honey" to depict his sweet view of the law? If not "honey," how would you describe the law to another?
- Read <u>Psalm 119:105-112</u>. What is the psalmist declaring? Note how he depicts the law as a lamp that shines direction in His life. How has this been so in your life? What are 3-5 key ways that the Word of God has illuminated your life? What hinders the Word from shining direction in your life?
- Read <u>Psalm 119: 113-120</u>. What is the psalmist in need of? Who does he call his refuge and shield? How does this relate to when he says, "I have put my hope in your Word?" How has the Word provided you with safety and shelter?
- **5.** Write a prayer asking God to make the Word taste sweeter than all other things, to be your guiding light, and to provide you with safety and shelter as you journey the path of life.