

## **GOD'S TRAINING THROUGH HARDSHIP**

1 Samuel 21:1-22:5

Key verse 22:2

*Discussion questions:*

- How can we learn to trust God in time of our needs?
- What could be fruit of God's trials as a leader?

*Inductive study questions:*

1. Where did David go and who did he meet? Why might Ahimelek have been trembled? What story did David come up with? What was David's need here? What was Ahimelek's concern? Why would he give David bread? (Mt 12:3-8) What other way did he provide for David's need? (8-9)
2. Where did David go next? Why would he go there? What did David do to avoid danger? What might he have learned? (Psalm 34)
3. Who joined David at Adullam? For what reasons did they go to David? To whom did David go to obtain protection for his family? What relationship did his family have with the Moabites? (Ruth 1:4) How did David show his trust in God's leading? (3,5)