

## Taking the Sermon Into Our Week

Scripture of the Week: Jeremiah 18:1-11

From the Sermon:

In this passage we meet God \_\_\_\_\_.

Could you imagine creating something – be it a piece of art, a cake, building a house – and have it stop in its construction part way and say ‘Well that’s \_\_\_\_\_. I don’t need to be formed any more.’

We want God to be our creator, our maker, our potter, as long as we \_\_\_\_\_.

Reflection Questions:

Are we willing to cry out to God to make and form and shape us, no matter what the cost?

Are we willing to relinquish our control so God can create us to our fullest potential?

Can we hand over our vision of who we think we should be so God can make us who we are supposed to be?

Will we stop comparing ourselves to the other vessels around us, trying to tell God in the process what would make us better when God says that we are beautiful as we are?

Prayer:

Take us, mold us, use us, fill us, Lord. For we give our lives, both as individuals and as this church, to the Potter’s hands. Call us, guide us, lead us, walk beside us, for we give our lives into the Potter’s hands. May we live into your perfectly crafted plan. Amen.