**Bible Study Questions for August 20, 2017 – Michael Greene**

**Text: Psalm 40:1-3**

1. What does verse 1 say about God?
2. What is the significance of David’s “***waiting patiently***” and what does it tell us about how God answers prayer?
3. What is the meaning and significance of the “***miry clay***” in verse 2 and its possible application?
4. How is God’s lovingkindness shown to those who call on the Lord, and how are their lives changed?
5. Looking at the entire 40th Psalm, what aspect(s) of the work of Christ does this psalm bring out and what New Testament scripture do you find in its fulfillment? Hint: refer to vs. 6-8, 9-10, 13-15.