

12 Stones

Joshua 3-4

Focus: remembering the miraculous rescue of God so we land all nations) will worship and obey Him

Resources:

here is a starter list of promises:

<https://www.gotquestions.org/promises-of-God.html>

and here are some helpful background articles;

<https://www.thatttheworldmayknow.com/wetfeet>

<https://www.tvresources.net/resource-library/talks/crossing-the-red-sea>

NW's 2018 Priority

Bought: we belong to Christ!

- to be captivated by the truth that we belong to Christ, that we are His people and...
- we would be in awe of this privilege...
- we would respond in willing obedience...
- we would invite others to join us!

Discussion:

- Read Joshua 3-4 together. Make a list of all the acts of trust that you see the people taking in this story.
- What about God makes them trust Him in this way (base your answer on what the first 2 chapters of Joshua have shown about who God is)?
- What about this incident brings to mind the crossing of the Red Sea? What do these connections teach us about God? How does this fuel your obedience to God?
- What are the stones intended to accomplish for the people? how can you use this story with your kids? how can you remember it well in your own life?
- What other "stacking stones" does the Bible give to us to remember the great works of God? (e.g. the rainbow, the Lord's supper)
- How can you personally use "stacking stones" to strengthen your faith in God? and for your family?
- Do you feel like you are seeking God in the scriptures such that you are increasingly trusting Him? Are there areas where you are afraid to obey God?
- Close your time with sharing promises that God has made to His people and pray for faith to trust and obey God more.

