Reflect

THIS BELONGS TO:

Know who Jesus is.

Live as Jesus says.

Do as Jesus does.

Dear Church Family,

Our church's mission is to Know who Jesus is, Live as Jesus says, and Do as Jesus does. One step in living out this mission is learning the discipline of reflection. The contents of this guide are filled with moments of reflection while we obediently walk through the Holy Scriptures that the Lord has impressed upon the hearts of our staff for this ministry year. In addition to this, there are two pages in the back of this guide for prayer. One page is for prayer requests, while the other is for answered prayers. How exciting will it be to reflect upon the faithfulness of our Lord? At the end of the ministry year, our prayer is that you will be able to reflect on answered prayers, lessons, and truths that the Lord has taught through each of our gatherings.

As you think deeply and carefully about what the Lord is teaching you this ministry year, remember this truth from Proverbs 27:19, "As in water face reflects face, so the heart of man reflects the man." Who we are is made known by the condition of the heart. May the condition of our heart always be pleasing in the sight of our Lord.

"The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make his face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the Lord lift up his countenance upon you and give you peace." Numbers 6:24-26

Sincerely,

Aaron Flug

Pastor of Leadership & Teaching

CITY POINTE CHURCH RHYTHMS

DAILY PRAYER RHYTHMS-

Mornings - The Lord's Prayer

Midday - The Lost, Compassion, Sent

Evening - Review the Day & Gratitude

WEEKLY GATHERING RHYTHMS-

Sunday Gatherings

Community Tables

MONTHLY FOCUSED RHYTHMS-

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October - Stewardship

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KNOW·LIVE·DO Vision Series

DATE:

SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

TITLE:

KNOW WHO JESUS IS

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

Luke 9v18-20

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KNOW·LIVE·DO Vision Series

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LIVE AS JESUS SAYS

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

Luke 9v23-27

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KNOW·LIVE·DO Vision Series

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DO AS JESUS DOES

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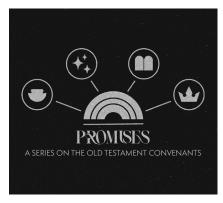
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Genesis 9v8-17

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TITLE:

GOD BLESSES

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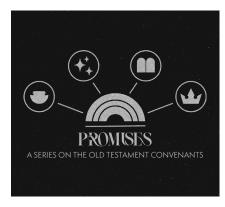
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GOD ESTABLISHES

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Exodus 24v1-18

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GOD DECREES

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NOVEMBER 5, 2023

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A NEW COVENANT

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE: **Jeremiah 31v31-38**

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NOVEMBER 12, 2023

TITLE:

AN ETERNAL SACRIFICE

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE: Hebrews 10v1-18

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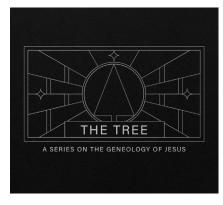
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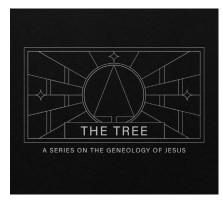
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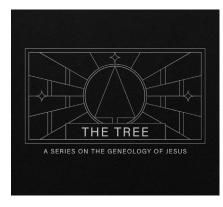
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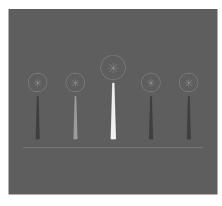
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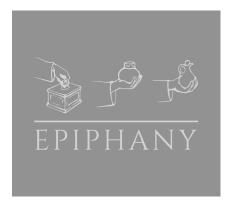
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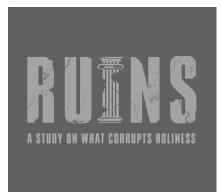
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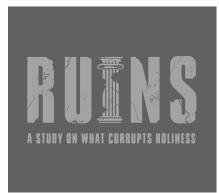
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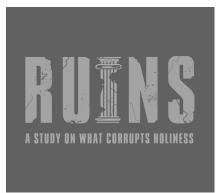
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PRIMARY SCRIPTURE: 1 Cor. 6v12-20

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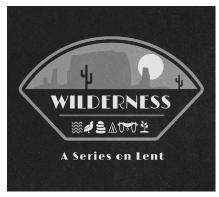
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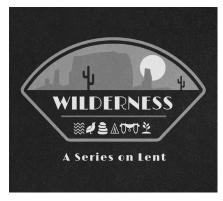
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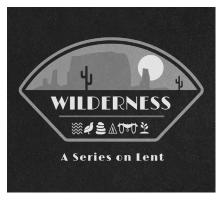
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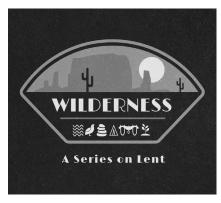
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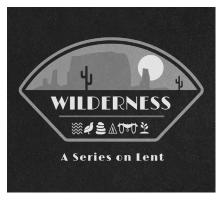
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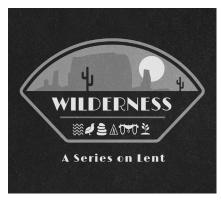
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THE GARDEN

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE: **Matthew 26v36-46**

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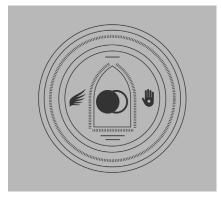
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PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

Zech. 9v9-13; John 12v12-19

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PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

Luke 23v39-43

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APRIL 7, 2024

TITLE:

VARIETY, BUT THE SAME SPIRIT

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

1 Cor. 12v1-11

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TITLE:

IN THE BODY PART 1: FUNCTIONALITY

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

1 Cor. 12v12-31

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IN THE BODY PART 2: DEDICATED SERVICE

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

Romans 12v1-21

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APRIL 28, 2024

TITLE:

MIRACULOUS GIFTS

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE: 1 Cor. 12v9-10, 28-30; Eph. 4v11

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DATE: **MAY 5, 2024**

TITLE:

EQUIPPING GIFTS

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

1 Cor. 12v8-10

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DATE: **MAY 12, 2024**

TITLE: SPEAKING & MINISTERING GIFTS

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

1 Cor. 12v8-10; Eph. 4v11; Rom. 12v6-8

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PRIMARY SCRIPTURE: 1 Cor. 13v1-13

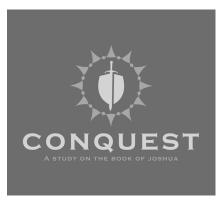
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DATE: **MAY 26, 2024**

TITLE: COMMISSION & COMMAND

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DATE: **JUNE 2, 2024**

TITLE:

RAHAB & THE SPIES

CORE TRUTHS:
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DATE: **JUNE 9, 2024**

TITLE:

THE CROSSING

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DATE: **JUNE 16, 2024**

TITLE: 12 STONES

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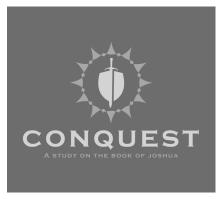
A NEW GENERATION, A PASSOVER, AND THE COMMANDER

PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:

Joshua Chapter 5

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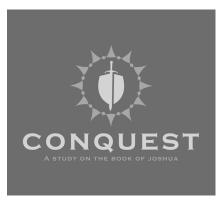


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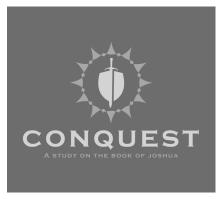


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VICTORY & RENEWAL

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DECEPTION

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DATE: **JULY 28, 2024**

TITLE:
THE SON, THE KINGS,
& THE SOUTH
PRIMARY SCRIPTURE:
Joshua Chapter 10

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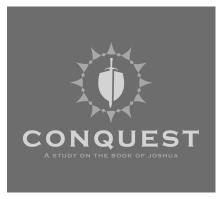


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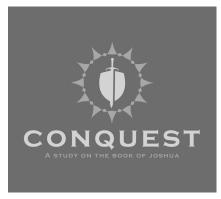


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TITLE: DEFEATED KINGS & UNCONQUERED LAND

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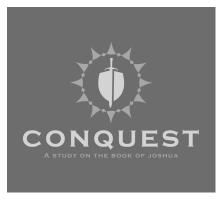
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TITLE: INSTITUTE ALLOTMENT, REFUGE, AND THE EAST

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DATE: **AUGUST 25, 2024**

TITLE:

THE FINAL CHARGE

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TITLE:

THE LAST QUESTION

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MORNING PRAYER RHYTHM

THE LORD'S PRAYER

"OUR FATHER"

Imagine God as a loving Parent, always desiring what is good and kind for you. If you want, picture Him giving you a warm embrace or smiling at you. Picture His face in your mind and look into His eyes to connect with Him.

"IN HEAVEN"

Imagine that God is everywhere around you, just like oxygen. He surrounds you and permeates your being, His Spirit dwelling within you like the air you breathe.

"HALLOWED BE YOUR NAME"

Find a moment to sit with your Heavenly Father, engaging in joyful and grateful worship, taking a few moments of peaceful silence. Consider expressing your gratitude by listing things you appreciate.

Praise God by acknowledging specific aspects you love about Him. Allow your imagination to envision yourself be comforted by God's boundless love.

"YOUR KINGDOM COME, YOUR WILL BE DONE ON EARTH AS IT IS IN HEAVEN"

As we experience God's loving nature, let it inspire prayers for your city, church, community, and personal life. Pray from a posture of loving care, similar to those areas that surrond you. Allow the Holy Spirit to direct you towards individuals, locations, and circumstances in need of divine intervention, healing, and provision. This form of prayer is commonly known as intercession.

If you are uncertain about God's specific leading, it's perfectly OK. Reflect on particular matters you are aware of in your life and the lives of others, and pray for them.

"GIVE US EACH DAY OUR DAILY BREAD"

Take a moment now to make your requests known to God, acknowledging Him as your Father. Approach Him with confidence, seeking His provision, healing, and understanding. Ask Him to intervene in the areas where you are in need. Your daily bread may include physical, relational, financial, emotional, or spiritual aspects.

Reflect upon all the areas of your life where you require His presence, and extend an invitation for Him to be present and active there.

"FORGIVE US OUR DEBTS, AS WE ALSO HAVE FORGIVEN OUR DEBTORS"

Recognizing that God sees you and holds a deep desire to bring healing to every aspect of your being. Take a few moments to request His forgiveness in specific areas of your life. You can do this by verbally expressing the particular areas of sin and shame you are burdened by or by seeking the guidance of the Holy Spirit to examine your heart and bring these areas to your awareness.

Once you have done so, extend the same prayer of forgiveness for those who have wronged you. Ask the Spirit to assist you in continually forgiving them and releasing them to God.

"AND LEAD US NOT INTO TEMPTATION, BUT DELIVER US FROM EVIL"

Seek God's strength and determination to resist temptation from the three enemies of your soul: the World, the Flesh, and the Devil.

The World: Its deceptive ideologies, consumerism, materialism, promiscuity, escapism, addiction, and greed.

The Flesh: Its pride, self-gratification, lust, and prejudice.

The Devil: His deceitful lies, shaming tactics, hatred, violence, and accusations.

Pray for the Holy Spirit's intervention to shield you from surrendering to the temptations of these three influences, even those that may be hidden in your life. Request God's abundant blessings in these areas, inviting His goodness to lead the way and make it clear in every aspect of your existence.

"FOR YOURS IS THE KINGDOM, THE POWER AND THE GLORY, FOREVER AND EVER. AMEN"

Take a moment to express the truth of this in your own words. Speak aloud, giving all the glory to God for His presence in your life and the world that surrounds you.

Conclude with a prayer overflowing with gratitude and thankfulness for God's unwavering presence with you during this precious time of reflection and communion.

MIDDAY PRAYER RHYTHM

THE LOST, COMPASSION, SENT

PRAY FOR THE LOST BY NAME:

Ask the Holy Spirit to bring to mind people who are far from God, people who do not know his love for them. As faces and names come to mind, pray for them.

Ask God to go after these lost ones, to restore them, and to bring them salvation.

PRAY FOR COMPASSION:

Ask God to give you the heart that is like the Good Shepherd, enabling you to see the world as He see others with His immeasureable love. Confess any hindrances that may obstruct your compassion for the lost in this very moment.

Request God's intervention in softening any hardened areas of your heart, transforming it to be more like Christ.

Ask God to remove any barriers that obstruct your love and empathy for those who are in need of His grace. Pray for a heart that is inline with God's perfect will, overflowing with His love and compassion for the lost.

PRAY TO BE SENT:

Ask God to instruct and empower you for His divine mission to reach out to the lost around you. Invite Him to open your eyes and ears, enabling you to reach the needs of those around you, that you may pursue them just as the Christ does.

Pray that God would give innovative ways to demonstrate love and kindness. Ask Him to bring to mind individuals whom you may not expect, and be open to His surprises as He invites you to be His hands and feet in the world. Embrace His leading and take hold of the opportunities He presents to you.

EVENING PRAYER RHYTHM

REVIEW THE DAY & GRATITUDE

Evenings provide a precious opportunity for rest and connection. As the day draws to a close, fatigue from the day's events settles upon us, and the most meaningful gift we can offer one another is our undivided presence. Unfortunately, we often bring the clutter and burdens of the day into our homes, dinner tables, and relationships, hindering our ability to be fully present to one another. To truly be present for each other at the end of the day, we must first turn our attention to God and be present to Him. By intentionally creating a space for God's presence in our lives at the close of each day, we can shed the distractions and concerns that weigh us down, and open ourselves up to the authentic presence and rest that He offers.

REVIEW THE DAY:

Take a moment to reflect upon the events of the day: the interactions with people, the tasks accomplished, the messages received, the meals enjoyed, the demands faced, and the unexpected surprises encountered. Recall every detail, retracing your steps from morning to evening. In this process, express gratitude to God for all the things, big and small, that you have to be thankful gracious for.

As you review the day, acknowledge the blessings given to you, the moments of joy, the answered prayers, and the instances of grace that have been woven into your day. Offer thanks to God for His provision, His guidance, and His faithful presence throughout each experience. Embrace a heart of gratitude, recognizing that every aspect of your day is an opportunity to express thankfulness to your Heavenly Father.

AMEN!

*adapted from Bridgetown Church

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