

Sermon Notes – March 11, 2018

Remember (*Joshua 4:1-5:1*)

The blueprint for discipleship continues in Joshua Chapter 4. After submitting to the Lord's instructions in Chapter 3, God's people are instructed to remember the activity of God in their lives. We are to do the same as we travel to our home in heaven.

- I. Remember the Initiative of God.
 - A. God always has a man.
 1. Abraham
 2. Moses
 3. Joshua
 4. Jesus
 - B. God always has a plan.
 1. Go where I will show you: Abraham.
 2. Lead the people I give you: Moses.
 3. Accomplish the promise I made to you: Joshua.
 4. Deliver the salvation provided through you: Jesus.
 - a. Genesis 3:15: The victory at the Cross.
 - b. Joshua 4:19: The choosing of the Passover lamb. The tenth of Nisan (March-April). (*Exodus 12:3*)
 - c. Matthew 1:21: The provision of a Savior.
 - d. Luke 22:19: The memorial to a Savior. (Lord's Supper)
- II. Remember the Purposes of God.
 - A. Tell your children the story of God.
 1. His miraculous power: Red Sea, Jordan River.
 2. His overwhelming goodness: Deliverance made, promises kept.
 3. His wonderful salvation: Saved from the past, prepared for the future. (*5:1*)
 - B. Tell the lost the message of God.
 1. There is only one true God. (*Deuteronomy 6:4*)
 2. There is only one true Savior. (*John 14:6*)
 3. There is only one true Command. (*4:24; Proverbs 1:7; 8:13*)