Study Guide

March 29, 2020

Sunday, March 29th (I took time to pray today □) Read: Matthew 14:26-30 This is the part of the Walking on Water Scripture when the Disciples first see Jesus and think He is a ghost. But Jesus immediately says to them "Take Courage! It is I. Don't be afraid." Then Peter challenges Jesus to tell him to get out of the boat. Questions: Do you see an immediacy to this story? The author of the book talks about this immediacy and waiting. How are you at waiting? Monday, March 30th (I took time to pray today \square) Read: 1 Corinthians 16:13 "Be on your guard; stand firm in the faith; be courageous; be strong. Questions: How well do you do at having these characteristics? What do you think they have to do with waiting? Tuesday, March 31st (I took time to pray today □)

Read: Joshua 1:9 "Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go."

Questions: Have you gotten the message how we are to be when waiting on God? Are you strong, courageous, not afraid, not discouraged because the Lord is with you wherever you go? Does this bring you comfort in the time we are in now?

Wednesday, April 1st (I took time to pray today \square)

Read: 1 Corinthians 15:58 "Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain."

Questions: Do you give yourself fully to the work of the Lord? Are you a person who stands firm or are you a person who is wishy washy? Is your labor in the Lord in vain?

Thursday, April 2nd (I took time to pray today \Box)

Read: Isaiah 40:28-31 This is the Isaiah Scripture that reminds us that God gives strength to the weary. Also the famous verse of "They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary...."

Questions: Where do you go for strength when you are weary? How do you trust God that He will supply all of your needs? Do you believe that "the Lord is the everlasting God, the Creator of the ends of the earth"?

Friday, April 3rd (I took time to pray today □)

Read: Habakkuk 2:3 "For the revelation awaits an appointed time; it speaks of the end and will not prove false. Though it linger, wait for it; it will certainly come and will not delay."

Questions: How well do you do at relying on God? Do you believe that God's timing is perfect? How do you handle times that seem like they will never arrive?

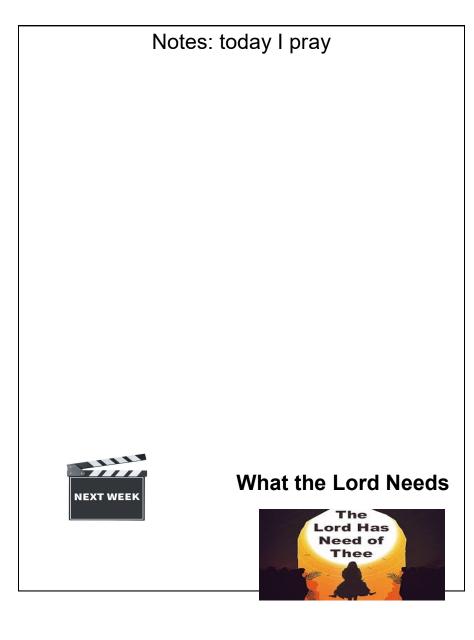
Saturday, April 4th

(I took time to pray today \square)

Read: Isaiah 46:10 "I make known the end from the beginning, from ancient times, what is still to come. I say, 'My purpose will stand, and I will do all that I please."

Questions: Do you believe God's purposes will stand? Do you believe God knows our path? If you answered yes to both of these, are you willing to follow God's plan? How will you find what that plan is?

Through God's love for us we can't help but want to serve others and show that love to them. Let us help you explore the best way for you to show love and serve in your Christian path. See Pastor Bob or Deacon Maryanne who are willing to help you in your faith walk.



Bring a friend to Sunday School and worship on Sunday!
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Grow, **P**ray,
and **S**tudy Guide.

Learning to Wait On Our Big God



Prayers For The Week

Sunday: Jesus often I become impatient and find it difficult to wait on You. Reveal Yourself to me so that I can sense Your peace and presence knowing that You are in control. Amen.

Monday: Lord, so many times we are told in the Scriptures to be strong and courageous. I often fail at these characteristics. Help me to rely on You more readily. Amen.

Tuesday: God, You reminded Joshua to be strong and courageous as he served You. Remind me of this when I say Yes to serving You. Amen.

Wednesday: Lord God, sometimes I am half-hearted in my work for You. Sometimes I do not stand firm in what I believe. Help me Lord be more of the person You desire me to be. Amen.

Thursday: Father, thank you for all that You provide in me when You call me to do Your work. Your faithfulness is overwhelming. Show me how to trust that You will provide all of my needs. Amen.

Friday: Spirit of the Living God, fall afresh on me. I need You Lord as I continue to walk through this season. Reveal Yourself in a way that I know and feel You are near. Amen.

Saturday: God, I know You have a plan for my life and Your purposes will stand. Let me obedient and follow that plan. Let me trust that Your purposes will stand. Amen.