

The World's First Top 10 List

Exodus 7:8 - 8:19

Day One

Read: Matthew 10
Discuss: *What do you think verse 16 means? What would that look like today?*
Learn: Psalm 139:7-8
Praise: *An attribute of God (e.g. Love)*
Pray: *Missionaries*

Day Two

Read: Exodus 27
Discuss: *What was the altar used for? Try to find a picture of the tabernacle. Or better yet, draw your own!*
Learn: Psalm 139:7-8
Praise: *God's provision*
Pray: *Salvation of others*

Day Three

Read: Proverbs 27
Discuss: *What does it mean to "boast" about tomorrow?*
Learn: Psalm 139:7-8
Praise: *Salvation*
Pray: *Pastors and church ministries*

Day Four

Read: 2 Corinthians 5
Discuss: *Verse 14. Describe verse 21.*
Learn: Psalm 139:7-8
Praise: *An attribute of God*
Pray: *Government and military*

Day Five

Read: 2 Corinthians 6
Discuss: *Give some examples of verse 14?*
Learn: Psalm 139:7-8
Praise: *God's creation*
Pray: *Friends and family*

Introduction:

Big Idea: God displays his awesome _____ and _____ so that we might know that he _____ is _____

The Dispute over the Plagues:

The Purpose of the Plagues:

The Structure of the Plagues:

The first three plagues: *Discomfort*

1. The _____:

2. The _____:

3. The _____:

Conclusions and Applications:



Acts 2:42 Community Group Homework

For the week of April 18, 2010

Getting Started

1. Has God ever had to do something amazing to get your attention?

Into the Bible

2. God could have freed the children of Israel in a moment or any way He chose. Why did He use the plagues?
3. Read Joshua 24:14. Why did God not spare the Israelites from the first three plagues?
4. How did God use the plagues to provide for the Israelites? See Exodus 3:22; 11:2; 13:35.
5. About the third plague the Pharaoh's magicians said, "This is the finger of God." What do you think they meant by this?

6. Each of the plagues intensifies like a tightening noose around Pharaoh and the Egyptians. On your own, read through the first nine plagues (7:14-9:29). How does the Scripture show this escalation in the plagues themselves and in the people's responses?

Application

7. Looking back over the message, what point, illustration, or idea did you need to hear most?
8. Because of the plagues, what was once worshiped and revered by the Egyptians was now odious in their sight. Give some examples of how that happens today.
9. What attention-getting events has God used in your past which caused you to worship Him more fully?

Prayer Requests

