

# DIGGING DEEPER

Noah

#### **SUNDAY RECAP**

Sunday was week 3 of our series, **Covenant God**, exploring the covenants found throughout Scripture. Sunday's focus was on God's covenant with Noah. Before starting the questions with your group, invite God to reveal Himself through His Word and by His Spirit during your discussion..

KEY PASSAGE: Genesis 9:8-17

For this week's covenant, identify the parties involved, promise given, and conditions of covenant.

#### **DISCUSSION GUIDE**

- 1. How does God's covenant with Noah connect back to the covenant of works in the garden (Genesis 2–3)?
- 2. God wiping out almost all life seems harsh! How does the flood reveal both the seriousness of sin and the grace of God? What does this teach us about His character? What tension do you feel when you read this story?
- 3. Read Revelation 4:3. What does the rainbow around God's throne remind us of His character?
- 4. How does Jesus' sacrifice fulfill and deepen the promise given to Noah?
- 5. How can you live as a sign of God's covenant faithfulness in your family, workplace, or community this week?

GROUP PRAYER TIME: Share any personal requests before praying together.

### **RESOURCES**

#### For those interested in resources referenced in this series.

- The Bible Project <u>Covenant Video</u> (bibleproject.com/videos/covenants)
- Miracles by C.S.Lewis
- The Knowledge of the Holy A.W. Tozer
- Tim Keller's sermon "covenant relationships"
- Commentaries by John H. Walton
- What is Covenant Theology? Ryan M. McGraw
- Not the Way It's Supposed to Be Cornelius Plantinga Jr.

MORE WAYS TO ENGAGE: Fair Oaks Church Sermon Podcast (Apple Podcasts & Spotify) to listen to just the message. Check out *Cutting Room Floor* episodes that further unpack sermons and insights from preachers.

## UPCOMING EVENTS Learn more at fairoaks.church/events

- 9/28: Worship & Prayer Night | 6:30p | Wells Chapel | RSVP for childcare
- 10/2: WFO Women's Brunch | 9:30-11:30a | FLC, AMC | Speaker: Matt Moore
- 10/4: 6th Annual Community Food Drive | Divine Savior | Donate & Volunteer
- 10/8: Hope Gathering Widows Group | 6-8p | Potluck Dinner & Fellowship | AMC
- 10/10: Food Distribution at FO/OV Food Bank | 9a-12:30p | Sign up to volunteer
- 10/12: Motherhood Group | 12-2p | Lunch & Connection | RSVP at fairoaks.church/events
- 10/12: Food Drive | Bring items to church lobby
- 10/12: Brazil Mission Trip 2026 Interest Meeting | 11:30a | AMC
- 10/17: Sisterhood Women's Gathering | 6:30-8p | FLC | RSVP at fairoaks.church/sisterhood
- 10/19: Trunk or Treat Volunteer Training | 10a & 11:45a | Wells Chapel
- 10/25: Trunk or Treat | 6-7:30p | Front parking lot | Sign up to help online