

MEN'S GAME NIGHT

**FRIDAY
DECEMBER 7TH
6:30PM TO 10PM**

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**MEN'S EAST CAMPUS
CLEANUP DAY**

**SATURDAY DECEMBER 15TH
9AM TO 12NOON**

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A PAIR OF WORK GLOVES



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KEY

My Year End RESOLUTION

LEARNING TO FINISH WITH GRATITUDE AND FAITHFULNESS

1. Worship

2. Learn

3. Serve

#FinishGrateful #FinishThankful

WEEK FIVE
The Resolute Redeemer
Joshua 1:1-9



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MARKET PLACE REDEMPTION

In the marketplace, the term “redeem” is often associated with a coupon or voucher indicating that a retailer is giving the consumer an opportunity to receive a discount on a particular item or service. The coupon must be **presented** at the time of purchase in order to receive the benefit. If this takes place, the benefit is REDEEMED.

KINGDOM REDEMPTION

In the church the term redemption is related to God the Father sending His Son Jesus to **deliver**, release and restore sinners from their sin and its consequences by means of His sacrifice (Jn. 8:36). Similar to the marketplace, the act of BELIEF by **FAITH** must be taken in order to receive the benefit of forgiveness and eternal life (Jn. 3:16, Rm. 10:9-10). When someone puts their faith in Christ as Savior and Lord, they are REDEEMED (1 Peter 1:18-19).

The process of redeeming God’s promises *should* continue in the life of the believer throughout their walk with the Lord. When God speaks, the recipient has been given an opportunity to redeem the **promises** associated with that Word. But if the transaction of faith (corresponding act of obedience) isn’t taken, the promise may go unredeemed (James 2:14-26).

RESOLUTE REDEEMING

This process is clearly seen in the life of Joshua as God prepares him to take over where Moses left off. Joshua 1:1-9 records God explaining to Joshua that the promise was connected to his **obedience**. Verses 6-7 give details of the promise of God and action required by Joshua for its REDEMPTION. We also can and must *“be strong and very courageous... be careful TO DO”* what God has commanded. Because *you have been redeemed*, you have access to many more **REDEEMABLE PROMISES** from God. Don’t allow any desires of the Lord for your life to **expire** due to a lack of redeeming obedience. Be a resolute (firm determination)DOER and reap the miraculous rewards!

PROMISE
& BENEFIT

JOSHUAH 1:6-7

*“Be strong and courageous, for you shall give **THIS PEOPLE POSSESSION OF THE LAND** which I swore to their fathers to give them.”*

ACT OF
OBEDIENCE

*“Only be strong and very courageous; be careful to **DO ACCORDING TO ALL THE LAW** which Moses My servant commanded you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, so that **YOU MAY HAVE SUCCESS** wherever you go.”*

FACTOR POINTS

WORSHIP

God is worthy of our praise and adoration for redeeming us through the sacrifice and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

LEARN

Review Joshua 1:1-9. Looking back over the 2018 teachings, what Word and Promises should you be meditating on?

SERVE

What acts of obedience do you still have take to redeem a Word from the Lord in your life? By His grace, take action in faith and obedience, expecting a miraculous outcome. Continue to participate in 60 Days of Community.

**NEW CELEBRATION TIMES
BEGINNING NEXT SUNDAY DECEMBER 9TH!
SATURDAY 5PM SUNDAY 9AM AND 11:30AM**