

Group Questions - Joshua 6:6-21 – Watching Walls Fall

INTRO QUESTIONS

Share a time when something worked out better than you expected.

Read – Ephesians 3:20 - All glory to God, who is able, through His mighty power at work within us, to accomplish infinitely more than we might ask or think.

What does this verse tell us about our God and what He is able to do?

DISCUSSION OF THIS PAST SUNDAY'S TEACHING

Read – Joshua 6:6-11

Joshua knew the end goal. The people did not.

What would you be thinking at this point when all you did was walk around Jericho and then went back to camp?

Share something God directed you to do that made no sense at the time.

Why does God sometimes call us to do things that make no sense to us?

Pastor Nate shared how UNBREAKABLE the walls of Jericho appeared

What “walls” are you looking at today that appear UNBREAKABLE?

Read – Joshua 6:12-14

The Israelites didn't need to do this just once... but 7 times

Do you think their confidence grew or shrunk during these 7 days?

Share a time when you had to continue in something though you saw no result.

It's been said, “Insanity is doing the same thing over and over again and expecting a different result.”

How can the above quote be dangerous to a follower of God?

Read – 2 Kings 5:9-14

How many times did Naaman have to dip himself in the Jordan River?

What would have happened if Naaman only dipped 6 times?

What would have happened if the Israelites only marched around 6 times?

How can this understanding help us as we attempt to follow God?

**If we give up too soon, we won't see the thing accomplished*

Read – Galatians 6:9 - *And let us not grow weary while doing good, for in due season we shall reap if we do not lose heart.*

When do we reap the reward?

What happens if we lose heart and give up?

Read – Joshua 6:15-21

What was the responsibility of the Israelites at Jericho?

What did God accomplish?

What is our responsibility as followers of God today?

Thinking back to Ephesians 3:20... What will God accomplish?

Pastor Nate said, "If you are in the way, God will not make a way, until you get out of the way."

What does that quote mean to you?

What are you experiencing today that feels like walking around in circles?

Close by taking time to pray for those who feel like they are following God, but not seeing any results.