

Clearwater Community Church



9.24.17 Sermon: Introducing Holiness

Passage: Exodus 1:1–22

Series: "HOLY"

Title: "Let the Exodus Begin"

God fulfills his promises (1:1–7).

The wicked will violently oppose God's plans (1:8–14).

As his children, we must choose to fear God above all else (1:15–22).

Main Idea:

As his holy people, trust God will accomplish his purposes no matter what life looks like at the time.

Discussion Questions:

- 1. What prior themes from Genesis are essential for properly understanding Exodus?
- 2. In light of Genesis 1:28; 9:1, 7, what is the author of Exodus signaling to us in Exodus 1:1–7?
- 3. Why do you think that the author begins Exodus with so little mention of God (he isn't mentioned until v. 17; and he doesn't act overtly in this story)? In what ways should this affect our understanding of how God works today?
- 4. How does wickedness oppose God's plans in our context today?
- 5. Are there times today that we must act on our fear of God when society or even government might demand that we do otherwise? List some instances.

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