

## GETTING TO KNOW YOU:

1. Do you know the Peoples Church vision statement?

## LOOKING BACK:

Sunday was VISION SUNDAY at Peoples Church. Pastor Dale continued our BSAC (Be Strong and Courageous) series of messages and gave us a vivid picture of the vision that lies ahead of us for 2016 and beyond. As Joshua faced the future, he had to be wondering if God would show up for him as he did for Moses; "How will this be accomplished?" What Joshua did not know of were the miracles that were just beyond the horizon. Joshua needed the words, "BSAC" to be able to move forward in faith and obedience; the same words God is speaking to us today.

2. What are the 5 phrases in the Peoples Church mission statement that describe how we are accomplishing our vision? Hint: "Loving..." (**bonus**: what color corresponds with each?)

## DIGGING DEEPER:

**Verse:** Joshua 1:2-11

Moses is dead. The Jordan River is at flood stage at this time (Joshua 3:15). Much of this scenario tells Joshua it is an INOPPORTUNE TIME. There were boundaries to cross and challenges everywhere. Yet this was the time! God was saying NOW.

3. What boundary or challenge has ever been put in front of you where you knew, "God, you must show up for me to cross right now?" Describe what happened.

**2 Peter 1:3** "His divine power has given us everything we need for a godly life through our knowledge of him who called us by his own glory and goodness."

Everything we need to embrace our tomorrows is already here! On Sunday Dale said, "Movement promotes faith. If it's not awkward you aren't growing."

4. Discuss these truths for a moment with your small group.

## TAKING IT HOME:

**Joshua 3:5** "Consecrate yourselves, for tomorrow the Lord will do amazing things among you!"

What Joshua did not know were the miracles that were on the horizon as a result of his obedience-crossing the Jordan, Jericho, the sun stood still, etc). In the same way, you and I do not know what miracles lay just beyond the threshold of our obedience.

5. What miracle are you expecting on the other side of your obedience?