

Holy Work: For Us and In Us (Exodus 28-31)

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

- What is the significance of the elaborate garments worn by the priests in their service to God? (Exodus 28:2-5) How might this inspire us to take greater care in our own service to God? (1 Corinthians 10:31)
- How do the detailed instructions for constructing the tabernacle and its furnishings demonstrate God's desire for order and beauty in worship? (Exodus 25-27) How can we apply the same level of care and attention to detail in our own work for God? (Colossians 3:23-24)
- How did God gift and call certain individuals for specific tasks in the construction of the tabernacle? (Exodus 31:1-6) How can we cultivate the skills and gifts that God has given us for His service? (1 Peter 4:10)
- How did the Israelites respond to God's commands for the construction of the tabernacle and the Sabbath day? (Exodus 31:12 -18) How do we approach the rules and regulations that God has given us in our own lives? (John 14:15)
- How does God's command to build the tabernacle with intricate details and skilled craftsmanship inspire us to bring our best efforts and abilities to serving Him in our own lives? (Exodus 31:1-6)
- How does the fact that God has set apart the Sabbath as a holy day of rest and worship challenge us to prioritize rest and spiritual refreshment in our own lives? (Exodus 31:12-17)
- How does the fact that God's presence dwells among His people in the tabernacle remind us of His desire for intimate relationship with us? (Exodus 29:42-46)



FAMILY QUESTIONS

- How can we use our talents and abilities to serve God as a family? What are some ways we can support each other in using our gifts for His glory?
- How can we make rest and spiritual refreshment a priority in our family? What are some activities we can do together that help us connect with God and each other?
- How can we create space for God's presence in our family life? What are some ways we can cultivate a deeper relationship with Him as a family?

WEEKLY PRAYER

- Our Men & Women in Uniform
- Joe & Kandi Depue, Ethnos360 Brazil
- · Larry Birch, Elder
- Beth Steeves, Café Manager
- CBC Kids Elementary Classes & Students
- Living Vine Community Church, Neenah
- Those who do not yet have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus (Col 4:2–4)

SCRIPTURE MEMORY

But will God indeed dwell on the earth? Behold, heaven and the highest heaven cannot contain you, how much less this house which I have built!

1 Kings 8:27(ESV)