
For every one
of God's
promises is
"Yes" in him.
Therefore,
through him
we also say
"Amen"
to the glory
of God.

2 Corinthians 1:20



Disaster Relief

Natural disasters don't tell us when or where they'll strike. Mariners Church is committed to responding as God leads. Please continue to pray for the people affected by Hurricane Florence. We have identified two local churches and will determine how to best support them in the coming days.

If you'd like to give* to the disaster relief fund or stay updated on relief efforts, search **relief**.

**Donations will also go to those impacted by Typhoon Mangkhut*

PRAYER

If you're in need of prayer, our prayer team is available at the **front of the Worship Center** after every service. To submit a prayer request online, email prayer@marinerschurch.org

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We're so glad you're here! Our mission is to inspire people to follow Jesus and fearlessly change the world. If this is your first time here, we'd love to meet you!

Visit the **Welcome Center** on the patio to find ways to get connected and opportunities to serve.



Or text **CONNECT** to 949.267.3131

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What does an Old Testament book about ancient people wandering through the desert have to do with us today? Journey with us through the book of Joshua and discover how God's Pathway to the Promised Land can help lead you to the Promised Life.

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**BUILT IN THE
fire**

A support group for women walking through infertility and miscarriage to gain new strength in community and hope for the future.
Second Mondays of the Month

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**STUDENT
LIFE GROUPS**

A place for high school and junior high students to connect in community and grow in their faith.
Starting Sep 26

search **life groups** for more info



**MEN'S
BREAKFAST**

MEN OF MARINERS
Sat, Oct 6

Connect with the Men of Mariners and hear an encouraging message from Senior Pastor, Eric Geiger.

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MAKING
GENEROSITY
SIMPLE & SECURE

We give because God first gave to us. We invite you to experience a life of generosity by **GIVING ONLINE** at marinerschurch.org/give or through the offering boxes located at the back of the Worship Center.

A MONUMENTAL LIFE

Joshua 6-8

Victory to defeat...be careful out there

Compromise and defeat

*Jericho and everything in it...as an offering to the Lord...“Do not take any of the things...or you yourselves will be completely destroyed, and you will bring trouble...”...But Israel **violated** the instructions about the things set apart for the Lord. A man named Achan had stolen some of these dedicated things, so the Lord was very angry with the Israelites...So approximately 3,000 warriors were sent, but they were soundly **defeated**... Joshua 6:17-18; 7:1,4*

Consequences

*...The Israelites were **paralyzed with fear**...and their courage melted away... Joshua 7:5*

Pathway to destruction

*“Among the plunder I **saw**...200 silver coins, and a bar of gold weighing more than a pound. I **wanted** them so much that I **took** them. They are **hidden**...” They piled a great heap of stones over Achan, which remains to this day.... Joshua 7:21,26*

What do these stones mean?

Sin always hurts us and others

*Don't you realize that **you become the slave** of whatever you choose to obey?...a slave to sin, which leads to death, or...obey God, which leads to righteous living... For the wages of sin is **death**.... Romans 6:16,23*

*Temptation comes from our own **desires**, which **entice** us and drag us away. These desires give birth to **sinful actions**. And when sin is allowed to grow, it gives **birth to death**...Whatever is good and perfect comes down to us from God our Father...He chose to give birth to us...And we...became **his prized possession**. James 1:14,15,17,18*

Defeat to victory

Joshua 8:1-29

*So Joshua burned the town of Ai, and it became a **permanent mound of ruins**...that can still be seen today. Joshua 8:28-29*

What do these stones mean?

Yesterday's defeat...today's victory

Pathway to life...a greater desire

*Whatever is good and perfect comes down to us from God our Father...He chose to give birth to us...And we...became **his prized possession**. James 1:17-18*

- Confess

*But if **we confess** our sins to him, he is faithful and just to **forgive** us our sins and to **cleanse** us from all wickedness. 1 John 1:9*

- Repent...U-turn

- Follow God's plan, provision, promise, power

Lifestyle in the Promise Land

Joshua 8:30-35

Monument at Ebal

*Then all the Israelites—foreigners and native-born alike...were divided into two groups...Each group faced the other, and **between** them stood...the Ark of the Lord's Covenant... Joshua 8:33*

What do these stones mean?

Grace: I'm God's loved child

Truth: follow God's truth

*...We have seen his glory, the glory of the one and only Son, who came from the Father, **full of grace and truth**. John 1:14 (NIV)*

One Year Study Bible reading for Sept. 30-Oct. 6: pages 1322-1351