

Courageous Women of Exodus (Exodus 1-2)

SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

- The first explanation of the midwives in Exodus is that they feared the Lord. What does it mean to fear the Lord? How does a relationship with Jesus transform the fear of the Lord in our lives?
- The women in Exodus risked their own lives to preserve the life of others. Why is the preservation of life so important to God? What does it look like for us to help preserve life today?
- What kinds of emotions, doubts, or fears might have been present among the Israelite women during Pharaoh's relentless oppression of Israel? How did their faith in God give them courage according to God's kingdom values?
- What is God's response to the midwives, Jochebed (Moses' mother), and Miriam (Moses' sister)? Can we expect a similar response from God when we help preserve life in this world?
- Is there anything from the sermon that particularly stood out to you? Why?

EXODUS

REDEEMED. RESCUED. RESTORED.

FAMILY QUESTIONS

- What is justice? Why does God care so much about doing right versus wrong?
- What is mercy? How do we show mercy to others?
- What is faith? What does it mean to have faith in Jesus?

WEEKLY PRAYER

- Our Men & Women in Uniform
- Faith in Action, WI
- Mike Edge, Elder
- Deb Rohrkaste, Director of Children's Ministry
- Senior High School Students & SWAT
- New Life Community Church, Oshkosh
- Those who do not yet have a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus (Col 4:2-4)

SCRIPTURE MEMORY

"The fear of the Lord is a fountain of life."
Proverbs 14:27 (ESV)