



# JOSHUA

## COURAGEOUS FAITH

June 2, 2019:

**Sunday we began a series through the book of Joshua. A fast, action packed narrative of the nation of Israel moving into the promised land. In this story we learn much about God's faithfulness and how we can live a courageous life of faith in spite of any battle we face.**

1. Sunday we talked about "facing the flinch". Have you ever flinched at something?
2. Joshua was called by God to fill the shoes of Moses, a great leader? Have you ever had to fill someone else's shoes? How did that feel? Were you scared, excited,...?
3. What do think was the most intimidating thing filling the shoes of Moses?
4. We looked at Moses a bit on Sunday and one thing that characterized Moses was his constant connection with God. How do you think that example impacted Joshua? What can we learn from that example today?
5. Read Joshua 1:6-7, 9, 18: Why do you think God kept giving Joshua this command?
6. Read Joshua 3:1-17: As you think about your life, what river is God calling you into? What is the flinch God is asking you to face with courageous faith?
7. Even Jesus faced a flinch. Read John 12:27-28: Jesus goes to God first as he faces the flinch. How can we follow this example of turning to God first, when we face difficulties or face something God is calling us into that might be out of our comfort zone?
8. In v. 28 Jesus still kept the priority of his life the glory of God. How do we glorify God even in the midst of trials?

**Pray and ask God to help you faithfully step into what He is calling you toward. Face your flinch with a courageous faith.**