

WEEK OF 5/8

Ruth

Why did Ruth want to stay with Naomi?

What are some ways God provided for Ruth?

How has God provided for us?

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1 Samuel 1-3

What do you think it means to “pour your heart out” to the Lord? Have you ever done that?

How do you think Hannah felt when she dedicated Samuel to serve in the temple?

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1 Samuel 4-6

Why didn't carrying the ark of the covenant into battle help Israel defeat the Philistines?

What are some ways God showed He has power over idols and false gods?

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Ephesians 2

What are some ways God changes people when they put their faith in Jesus?

What is “spiritual death”? What is “spiritual life”?

How and why does God save people from sin?

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Define love. Why is love such an important part of the Christian life? *Ruth 1:6-9, 16-17*

What can we learn about Christlike love from the story of Ruth and Boaz? How does the story of Ruth relate to the story of Jesus? *Ruth 2:2-3, 8-12*

What is one way you need to grow in your love for God? For other people? *Ruth 4:9-17*

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Share about a time when you felt really hurt and upset. Share how God sustained you in that time. *1 Samuel 1:4-18*

What can we learn from Hannah's example about how to trust God event when we are hurting? *1 Samuel 1:19-28*

How did Hannah respond to God's kindness? What can we learn from her example? *1 Samuel 2:1-6*

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What is a priest? What role did priests play in ancient Israel? *1 Samuel 2:12-23*

How does Jesus fulfill the role of priests? Why is it no longer necessary for us to visit priests and offer sacrifices? *1 Samuel 2:24-34*

Why does God care so much about our motives and our hearts? *Ruth 4:9-17*

WEEK OF 5/29

Compare and contrast sin and mistakes. *Romans 5:12-14*

Look at Romans 3:9-18. What stands out to you about Paul's description of human beings apart from Jesus? Why is it important for us to wrestle with this description?

How does Jesus free us from the power of sin and death? How should this reality change how we see ourselves? How we live? *Romans 7:24-8:11*

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