



**WEDNESDAY EVENING
BIBLE STUDY**

OPEN YOUR BIBLE TO:
JOSHUA 3:1-5

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God Will Lead You To Receive His Promises

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Numbers 9

17 Whenever the cloud was taken up from above the tabernacle, after that the children of Israel would journey; and in the place where the cloud settled, there the children of Israel would pitch their tents. **18** At the command of the Lord the children of Israel would journey, and at the command of the Lord they would camp; as long as the cloud stayed above the tabernacle they remained encamped.

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The writer mentioned the ark 17 times in chapters 3 and 4. It was the visible symbol that God Himself was leading His people into the land and against their enemies.

Thomas Constable, Expository Notes Of Dr. Constable

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Psalm 32

8 I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will guide you with My eye. 9 Do not be like the horse or like the mule, Which have no understanding, Which must be harnessed with bit and bridle, Else they will not come near you.

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Consecration means separate from sin, separate from the entanglements of life and separate to the Lord's mission and ready to go take the land.

Gerald D. Vreeland, The Moody Bible Commentary

3. Prepare Yourself For God's Leading (v5)

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Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses,
let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us,
and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us

Hebrews 12:1

No one engaged in warfare entangles himself with the affairs of this life,
that he may please him who enlisted him as a soldier.

2 Timothy 2:4

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Psalms 95

6 Oh come, let us worship and bow down; Let us kneel before the Lord our Maker. 7 For He is our God, And we are the people of His pasture, And the sheep of His hand. Today, if you will hear His voice: 8 "Do not harden your hearts, as in the rebellion, As in the day of trial in the wilderness



Then He came the third time and said to them, "Are you still sleeping and resting? It is enough! The hour has come; behold, the Son of Man is being betrayed into the hands of sinners.

Mark 14:41

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Some of God's promises are unconditional, and all we have to do is believe them; while other promises require that we meet certain conditions. In meeting these conditions, we're not earning God's blessing; we're making sure our hearts are ready for God's blessing.

Warren Wiersbe, "Be" Commentary Series

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