

Weekly Message Study Guide

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Keep My Commandments | Mosaic Covenant | Week 4 | March 21

Exodus 3:4-10; Exodus 19-20; 1 Peter 2:8-10

These study guides are designed for individual or group study but highly encouraged to be experienced in community with a small group or other friends on the journey with Jesus.

CONTEXT | Through our Lenten series this year, we are looking at seven circles of commitment that God invites people into in order to bless us and make our lives a blessing to others. Since we are in a living relationship these weekly reviews for us are meant to encourage us forward in actively, participating in our relationship with Jesus.

Week One: Edenic Covenant can be summarized as Respect the lines and you will flourish (Original Grace).

Week Two: Noahic Covenant we can summarize as Reverencing life and remember that you are accountable. (Common Grace).

Week Three: Abrahamic Covenant we can summarize as Walk by faith and blessing will flow. (Commissioning Grace).

Optional Video Addition: For added richness to your discussion watch the following short video by the Bible Project before proceeding: [The Book of Exodus Part 2](#).

And...Go!...Again | Read Genesis 12:1-3 and compare to Exodus 3:4-10 and reflect on the following questions.

- How are the themes of these two passages similar?
- What is God's ultimate goal in choosing one person/group out of the many?
- How is Israel's obedience to the Torah part of God's purpose for reaching the nations?
- Where do we see these types of themes in the teachings and life of Jesus? (See Luke 15; Romans 5:12-19; Matthew 28:18-20)

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Priesthood of All Believers | With the above in mind read 1 Peter 2:8-10 and together come up with parallels of what a priest does (think in Biblical terms) and how that relates to our lives as followers of Jesus.

Living on Mission | With all the above in mind reflect on the mission statement of Christ Church.

*Gathering in communities of disciples who worship, grow, and serve
Going into all the world as witnesses of the life-changing love of Jesus Christ*

- How does our mission statement reflect what we have learned about God's circles of commitment to bless us so we can be a blessing to others?
- What movements do you notice? How is that important?
- What does going as witnesses imply?
- How well do we actually live this as a church community?
- How well do you live it personally as part of this community?

Practice of the Week | Be sure to listen to [this Monday's Lenten audio devotional](#) for a special perspective on the Mosaic Covenant.