

## THERE CAN BE ONLY ONE

Yahweh & the Gods of Egypt

## REFLECT | Week 3 | Exodus 5-11

- Discuss or journal one main idea that stood out to you from week three.
- 2. Moses, Aaron, and the people of Israel hit a roadblock. How do you respond when you encounter roadblocks on your journey? What helps you build more trust in God and the timing of God's plans?
- 3. Read Exodus 5:22–23. Have you ever felt this way? How do you respond? Have you ever prayed about it? What helps you work through it?
- 4. God responded to the Israelites' distress by telling Moses what would happen to Pharaoh (6:1) and reviewing God's promises (6:2–8). Does this encourage you? What does this reveal about the character of God?
- 5. We often struggle with the gods/idols of our culture. Which are challenging for you? What influence do they have on you? What practices do you have in your life to counter the idols of our time?



6. Pharaoh's magicians were able to replicate the miracles of God to a point. What does this teach us about deceptive tactics at play in our world? What are we to make of the fact that the plagues were irreversible? What do you think Scripture is teaching us here about power and trust?

RESPOND | The story of the plagues is well known from movies and books. This is one Bible story that can feel very far away, but what are some of modern parallels you see in this passage? How do these verses still speak to us today?

**RESOURCE** Listen to The Bible Project's Podcast, Why Are There 10 Plagues?

**READ** | Exodus 7–10