

QUESTIONS FOR GROWTH GROUPS:

1. Take time to share with your group your family's financial commitment to the Beyond Campaign. JUST KIDDING! RELAX! We are going to discuss Sunday's message further, but we are NOT going to make this awkward 😊
2. All of us have had a time in our lives when we found it difficult to let go. Share some of your experiences with the group of a time that was difficult for you to let go? i.e. Moving away from home, sending your kid(s) to college, moving to another state, etc.
3. What made letting go challenging or difficult?
4. Was there any positive results that you did or didn't expect from letting go?

As a group, read Joshua Chapter 1.

1. What was the background or setting for this chapter? What was taking place in the life of God's people Israel?
2. What stands out to you when you read this chapter?
3. What command does God give to Joshua? What promises and encouragement did he receive? How do you think Joshua must have felt?
4. What instructions and promises did Joshua give the people?
5. It seems in Joshua 1:12-15 that two and a half tribes are already enjoying some of the promises and blessings of reaching their destination and God's promise, but what does God ask these two and a half tribes to do? Are there any principles or lessons we can learn?
6. How did the people respond to Joshua?
7. Pastor Kent asked each of us to join he and Heather in the Stewardship Journey. You don't have to answer aloud in the group, but as an individual or as a couple our prayer is that you will over the next 28 days leading up to December 10th you will pray and ask yourselves these four questions:
 1. PRAY: Have I really PRAYED about this?
 2. SACRIFICE: Will this be truly SACRIFICIAL for me?
 3. OBEDIENCE: Will I accept this challenge (OBEDIENCE) to my faith?
 4. JOY: Does this bring real JOY to my heart?