

current sermon series

EXODUS

THE GOD WHO REDEEMS

Exodus 19:1-8

On the third new moon after the people of Israel had gone out of the land of Egypt, on that day they came into the wilderness of Sinai. ² They set out from Rephidim and came into the wilderness of Sinai, and they encamped in the wilderness.

Exodus 19:1-8

There Israel encamped before the mountain, ³ while Moses went up to God. The Lord called to him out of the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the people of Israel: ⁴ You yourselves have seen what I did to the Egyptians,

Exodus 19:1-8

and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. ⁵ Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples, for all the earth is mine;

Exodus 19:1-8

⁶ and you shall be to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the people of Israel.” ⁷ So Moses came and called the elders of the people and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him.

Exodus 19:1-8

⁸ All the people answered together and said, “All that the Lord has spoken we will do.” And Moses reported the words of the people to the Lord.

God's Intention From The Beginning

The KINGDOM of GOD:

God's People

In God's Place

Under God's Rule & Blessing

The **PATTERN** of the Kingdom

Genesis 1-2:

God's People : Adam & Eve

God's Place: The Garden of Eden

God's Rule & Blessing: God's Word;
Perfect

Relationships

The PERISHED Kingdom

Genesis 3-11:

God's People : No-one

God's Place: Banished

God's Rule & Blessing: Disobedience;
Curse

Genesis 12:1-3

Now the LORD said to Abram, "Go from your country and your kindred and your father's house to the land that I will show you. ² And I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing.

Genesis 12:1-3

³ I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed."

Covenant (Testament)

A covenant is an unchangeable, divinely imposed legal agreement between God and man that stipulates the conditions of their relationship.

-Wayne Grudem

The Essential Element of Every Covenant :

“I will be their God, and they shall be my people.”

(Gen. 17:7-8; Exo.6:7; Lev. 26:11-12; Jer. 31:33; 2 Cor. 6:16; et al.)

The PROMISED Kingdom

Genesis 12:1-3:

God's People : Abraham's descendants

God's Place: Canaan

God's Rule & Blessing:

Blessing to Israel and the nations.

The PARTIAL Kingdom

Genesis 12 – 2 Chronicles

God's People : Israel

God's Place: Canaan (Jerusalem & temple)

God's Rule & Blessing: The Law

The Kingdom of God

Old Testament:

- The PATTERN of the Kingdom
- The PERISHED Kingdom
- The PROMISED Kingdom
- The PARTIAL Kingdom
- The PROPHESIED Kingdom

The Kingdom of God

New Testament:

- The PRESENT Kingdom (Matt.-John)
- The PROCLAIMED Kingdom (Acts – Jude)
- The PERFECTED Kingdom (Revelation)

Revelation 21:1-4

Then I saw a new heaven and a new earth, for the first heaven and the first earth had passed away, and the sea was no more. ² And I saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

Revelation 21:1-4

³ And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. **He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God.**

Revelation 21:1-4

⁴ He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away."