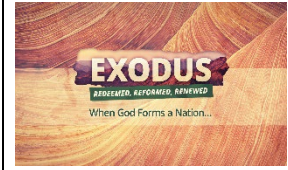


Exodus: Redeemed, **Reformed**, Renewed
When God forms a Nation...

Exodus 16-17

Pastor Chris Lenhart – February 26, 2023



Introduction:

“You will...” (16:1-14)

We won’t... (15-36)

Contend (17:1-7)

Surrender (8-16)

**Supporting
Scripture**

Genesis
Ex. 1-15

1 Cor. 10:4

1 Cor. 15:53-55

Next Week: Exodus 18-19 “When God forms a Nation...”

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<p>Exodus: Redeemed, Reformed, Renewed</p> <p>When God forms a Nation...</p> <p>Next Steps: Home Group Study and/or Personal Discipleship Guide</p>	<p>Ex. 16-17</p>
<p>Get together as a family or with a friend or group of friends this week!</p> <p>Start with Prayer -ask Jesus to guide our time together. Go over prayer requests together.</p> <p>Read the Text -Exodus 16-17 (or portions of it).</p> <p><u>Questions for Reflection & Discussion:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. One theme of Exodus 16 is the murmuring or grumbling of the Israelite people. In the mystery of the wilderness, seeing God's provision, and trusting in its sufficiency can sometimes be difficult. What are some of the realities in our wilderness that cause us to murmur and grumble? 2. Another theme emerging from chapter 16, is God's, "You will..." statements. As you reflect on the various "You will" statements, what gives you comfort and/or hope? What did God want his people to know about his character? (vss. 6, 7, 8, 12) 3. How does God provide rest and give satisfaction to his people in the wilderness? What does it communicate about God's character and his desire for his people that he provides an outlet for rest and satisfaction, even in our wilderness? (vss. 16-36) 4. In chapter 17, Moses strikes the rock and God supplies. How is Jesus like the rock in the wilderness? (1 Cor. 10:1-4) 5. What role will the leaders and elders of Israel play in the formation of God's people? How will Moses utilize them to help guide the people? How does the 2nd half of chapter 17 reveal their already increased role? What does all of this communicate about how God forms his people, and the inadequacy of a single leader? 6. Compare the events on the following hills. The first hill from Exodus 17:8-16. And the second hill, Golgotha, where Jesus was crucified. <p><u>Questions guiding Spiritual Formation & Application:</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How does this text challenge us to grow in a greater love for God? 2. How are we motivated to grow in a greater love for others? 3. How might Jesus be motivating us to apply some of the principles from this passage to our families, careers, communities, or churches? 4. How might Jesus be using us to draw those that do not know him, unto himself? 5. How can we pray for each other between now and next time? 	<p><u>Supporting Scripture</u></p> <p>Genesis Ex. 1-12 1 Cor. 10:4 1 Cor. 15:53-55</p> <p><u>Prayer Requests</u></p> <p>Family</p> <p>Church</p> <p>Community</p> <p>Career/Friends</p> <p>Other</p>