



# NEVER THE SAME

## NOAH

Genesis 6:8-22

Go Deep Study Guide • Pastor Bob DuPar • May 3-9, 2020

### Getting Started

What did you find most helpful from this week's sermon? Was anything confusing? Is there anything that needs clarification? Discuss as a group.

If you haven't heard the sermon yet, you can access it at: [www.cbventura.org](http://www.cbventura.org)

### Going Deeper

Re-read **Genesis 6:8-22**. Try comparing two different translations.

What intrigues you most about the story of Noah (**Genesis 6-9**)? Why? How does the story of Noah speak to you differently today than perhaps when you heard it as a child?

Imagine not having kids until you're 500 years old! And then, being asked by God to undertake the biggest project you've ever been a part of! How does this differ from our modern view of aging and retirement? What can we learn from this?

The level of detail in Genesis (**chapters 6-9**) is incredible! Walk through the timeline of the flood and Noah's life (either as a small group or individually). What stands out to you? Why?

Discuss the similarities/challenges of being in an ark (with animals & 7 other people) for 377 days, and our present situation with the stay-at-home mandate!

What does Noah do as soon as he leaves the ark? (**Genesis 8:20**)  
What can we learn from this? What is God's response in 8:21?

How is **Genesis 9:1-7** similar to the story of Adam & Eve, and God's initial instruction to them in the Garden of Eden?

Discuss God's covenant with Noah in **Genesis 9:9-18** and the sign of the rainbow. What takeaways do you see?

What can we learn about **Faith** from Noah and his story?

Read **Hebrews 11:7**. What light does the New Testament shed on Noah's life?

Have you ever experienced a time in your life when God was preparing you for something that had never happened before? Explain

What do we learn about **Obedience** from Noah?

Finally, what do we learn about God's **Favor** from the story of Noah?

### Application

Reflect upon **Galatians 1:10** and apply it to the story of Noah. What does it mean/look like for you to live this way?

### Prayer

How can your group pray for you? If you don't have a group and you're doing this study individually, feel free to email your request to the CBC staff.



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Worship: **Britney Christian Miller**

Song List

- 10,000 Reasons
- Called Me Higher
- Run to the Father
- Give Me Faith
- Raise a Hallelujah

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If you would like to speak to someone, email or call to arrange a time.

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**General Fund Financial Update thru April 26, 2020**

Contributions	Budgeted Expenses	Actual Expenses
\$162,133.34	\$167,876.96	\$158,665.31

Offering for 4/26/20	Weekly Needs
\$12,154.50	\$9,884.62

**Fund Balances thru March 31, 2020**

General	Benevolence	Building
\$79,395.09	\$3,214.31	\$39,144.73

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INTRODUCTORY THOUGHTS

**Lessons we learn from the life of Noah**

- **FAITH**

- **OBEDIENCE**

- **FAVOR**

CLOSING COMMENTS

