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Welcome Card

*Please fill out the Welcome Card
and give it to a member of the
Welcome Team or a Church Leader
so that we can keep connected
with you.*

ONLINE CONNECT CARD

Hi there! Thanks for visiting our website, we are looking forward to connecting with you! One of the team will be in touch soon from the basic info you provide below or email directly at

office@tcchurch.org.uk

Name:

Email Address:

Is this your first time connecting with us at TCC?

☐ Yes

☐ No

I/we attended....an in person service

☐ Yes

☐ No

I/we watched....an online service

☐ Yes

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Guest Feedback Form

We're honoured you visited and would love to hear your thoughts.

This short survey will take just 1-2 minutes.

Join a Community Connect Group



*93% don't stay around church by the end of that year
unless they are involved in a small group or serving group*

Pastoral Team Training

Monday 22nd &
Monday 29th September.



Pastoral Care

Like to find out more?

Julie Warner

pastoralcoordinator@tcchurch.org.uk

prayer worship teaching

IGNITE United in Spirit

Join Us for an Amazing Youth Experience

As our youth groups come together we can experience powerful **worship moments** that uplift and inspire. Together, we will connect through prayer and receive teaching to help us grow in a vibrant atmosphere of enthusiasm and faith.

SATURDAY 4TH OCT 7PM

Talk to your Youth leaders
for more information

Transformation Community Church
The Glade, Furnace Drive, Crawley RH10 6JL
youth@tcchurch.org.uk

IGNITE United in Spirit

Saturday 4th OCT 7pm
youth@tcchurch.org.uk

Giving from Missions



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David Dickson - Senior Leader



THE MESSAGE

JAMES 1:22

"..DON'T JUST LISTEN TO GOD'S WORD. YOU MUST DO WHAT IT SAYS.
OTHERWISE, YOU ARE ONLY FOOLING YOURSELVES."

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**SOME PEOPLE MAKE PROMISES
LIKE WIFI SIGNALS – STRONG AT
FIRST BUT GONE WHEN YOU
REALLY NEED THEM!**



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SUMMARY OF THEMES FROM SERIES

- **FOCUS** on your calling (Joshua 1&2)
- **STEP** forward (Joshua 3)
- **REMEMBER** who God is (Joshua 4&5)
- **WORSHIP** the walls away (Joshua 6)
- **BE SERIOUS** about sin (Joshua 7&8)
- **REST** from war (Joshua 11 to 23)
- **TRUST** in His promises (Joshua 24)

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Questions for Reflection:

1. In what ways does the story in the book of Joshua apply to your life today?
2. What are some of the major takeaways you've gathered so far from this study?
3. What is one thing you've learned about God during this study?
4. What's one thing you've learned about yourself?

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“But *if serving the LORD seems undesirable* to you, then *choose for yourselves* this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your ancestors served beyond the Euphrates, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, *we will serve the LORD.*”

Joshua 24:15 NIV

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***"IF SERVING THE LORD SEEMS
UNDESIRABLE..."*** SUGGESTS THAT NOT
EVERYONE WILL BE EAGER TO SERVE
THROUGH TRUST IN HIS PROMISES



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Think about your story & journey—
the ups & downs, highs & lows.

- How clearly can you see God's activity in your life as you recount your story?
- In what ways has He been faithful to you?
- To what degree does remembering God's faithfulness encourage your faith in him for today?

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VISUAL TALK - MUSA



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Aren't you some people didn't say 'I don't do...'

Noah – “I don’t do boats.”

Abraham – “I don’t do leaving home.”

Moses – “I don’t do public speaking.”

Gideon – “I don’t do battles.”

David – “I don’t do giants.”

Esther – “I don’t do politics.”

Mary – “I don’t do virgin births.”

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Word of THANKS to those who serve faithfully

PASSIONATELY (1 Peter 5:2)

- serve willingly,
- not grudgingly,
- eager to serve God.



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Word of challenge to some:

APATHY OR APPETITE



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"CHOOSE FOR YOURSELVES..
SUGGESTS THAT INDIVIDUALS
MUST MAKE THEIR OWN DECISION
TO TRUST IN HIS PROMISES



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This verse is really saying to us
“Go all-in with God; be an all-in kind
of person. Trust him entirely and
surrender your whole life to him.”



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Life with God only truly works when we are fully surrendered to God.

How might we know? Joshua 24:24



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If we respond individually then church
can be moving forward - How?

1 Sam 10:26

“people whose hearts God had touched”

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The Hebrew term “*valiant*” captures more than courage = *strength energized by God’s leading*.

These were not casual followers: hearts were moved by God and as a result they moved forward.



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"AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE..
SUGGESTS WE CAN MAKE THE
RIGHT DECISION TO SERVE GOD
AND TRUST IN HIS PROMISES



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Right choices to follow God and serve:

- **Ruth** – Chose to follow the God of Israel Ruth 1:16
- **Daniel** – Chose obedience in a hostile culture Dan 1:8
- **Shadrach, Meshach, and Abednego** – worship only God Dan 3:17–18
- **The Disciples** – Left everything to follow Jesus Luke 5:11
- **Paul (formerly Saul)** – Chose to obey the heavenly vision Acts 26:19

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When we make the right decisions and choices, it allows us to impact others.

The last few verses of the book of Joshua record Joshua's death and the legacy of his leadership.

Joshua 24:29–33.



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- CONCLUSION:

- God saves us through the finished work of Jesus Christ, but there remain challenges and obstacles before us.
- We can only overcome them by going all-in with God.
- Let's choose this day who we'll serve: the Lord our God who never leaves or abandons us.

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RESPONSIVE COVENANT

I am no longer my own but yours.
Put me to what you will,
rank me with whom you will;
put me to doing,
put me to suffering;

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RESPONSIVE COVENANT

let me be employed for you,
or laid aside for you,
exalted for you,
or brought low for you;
let me be full,
let me be empty,



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RESPONSIVE COVENANT

let me have all things,

let me have nothing:

I freely and wholeheartedly yield all
things to your pleasure and disposal.

And now, glorious and blessed God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,

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RESPONSIVE COVENANT

you are mine and I am yours.

So be it.

And the covenant now made on earth,
let it be ratified in heaven.



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Communion



Please come to the front

GRACE family care INTUITIVE
wisdom ACCEPT now faith holistic
COMPASSION nurture TOUCH
energy spiritual trust
forgive GIVE
connect healing
purpose RELEASE unconditional
kindness LOVE INTENTION
HEART empower SOUL



if you would like someone to pray with you today