

Summer Series: July 2020

The Life of King David

Tuesdays at 12noon in the Fireside Room

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Tuesday, July 14, 2020

Welcome and Opening Prayer

Class Overview

July 14- His Reign as King

July 21- Unmasking the Real King David

Reviewing Last Week:

1. When did King David live?
2. He is described in the Bible as “a man after God’s own _____.”
3. David was the youngest of _____ children.
4. Who was his great-grandmother?
5. Near what town did David start his career as a humble shepherd?
6. Who was the man who anointed David as king?
7. David reigned as the King of Judah for _____ years and then Judah and Israel for another _____ years.
8. How many of the Psalms are attributed to King David?
9. He was Israel’s second king, the successor of King Saul.
10. David had an affair with Bathsheba which produced a son named _____.
11. What musical instrument did David play?
12. Goliath was a part of the nation of the _____.
13. How tall was Goliath?

Bonus:

- a. What was the name of David’s mother?
- b. What initial role did David have in Saul’s army?
- c. Fearing King Saul, what region did David escape to?

David: Transition to King- 2 Samuel 1-6

1. David laments heavily over the deaths of Saul and _____.
2. David becomes king over _____, the southern region of Palestine, with its capital in Hebron.
3. _____ war breaks out between Judah and Israel.
4. David becomes king over _____, with its capital in Jerusalem.
5. Jerusalem was the city of the Jebusites, about _____ acres in size.
6. Jerusalem becomes known as the “City of _____.”
7. The _____ of the Covenant is brought to Jerusalem.

Drawing Close to God: 2 Samuel 7-10

1. The Lord speaks to David through the prophet _____.
2. David is told that he would not be the one to build the _____.
3. David responds with dignity and _____.
4. David had great _____ as a military and spiritual leader.
5. David shows kindness to Mephibosheth out of respect toward _____.
6. David shows _____ toward the Ammonites, but in turn were attacked.

Preparing to Build the Temple: 1 Chronicles 22

1. Knowing that Solomon was young and inexperienced, David made extensive _____ for the temple before his death. (22:1-5)
1. Because David shed much _____ during wartime, God told David that his son would build the temple. (22:6-10)

The Transition to a New King: 1 Chronicles 23-27

1. When David was old and full of _____, he made Solomon the new king.
2. Before his death, David _____ the workers for the temple and divided the Levites into groups.
3. He also organized _____ of singers, gatekeepers, treasurers, the army, officials, officers, overseers.

David's Plan for the Temple: 1 Chronicles 28-29

1. David was a _____, architect, and interior designer.
2. David gave Solomon specific _____ for how the temple will be build and furnished.
3. David was an incredible motivator and _____.
4. David gave all of the glory and honor to _____.

Takeaways:

1. Unlike Saul, David was _____ in the transition plan to his successor.
2. In spite of his moral lapses, David never lost sight of _____ ways.
3. David had numerous gifts and abilities and _____ right up until his death.

Closing Comments and Prayer