

# The FAITH5 for November



## Step 1: SHARE your highs and lows

Share a high for the day and a low for the day. No judgement. Just honest sharing.



## Step 2: READ a Bible verse or story

Exodus 3:1-15 (on the back of this sheet)



## Step 3: TALK about the verse

- What stood out
- What was hard to understand
- How does the verse connect to your everyday life
- How does the verse relate to your highs and lows



## Step 4: PRAY together

Thank God for each other. Pray for each others highs and lows.



## Step 5: BLESS each other

Use your finger to draw the sign of the cross on your partners hand or forehead and say "Jesus loves you and I love you too."

## Exodus 3:1-15

### Moses and the Burning Bush

**3** Moses was taking care of the flock of his father-in-law Jethro. Jethro was the priest of Midian. Moses led the flock to the western side of the desert. He came to Horeb. It was the mountain of God. <sup>2</sup> There the angel of the LORD appeared to him from inside a burning bush. Moses saw that the bush was on fire. But it didn't burn up. <sup>3</sup> So Moses thought, "I'll go over and see this strange sight. Why doesn't the bush burn up?"

<sup>4</sup> The LORD saw that Moses had gone over to look. So God spoke to him from inside the bush. He called out, "Moses! Moses!"

"Here I am," Moses said.

<sup>5</sup> "Do not come any closer," God said. "Take off your sandals. The place you are standing on is holy ground." <sup>6</sup> He continued, "I am the God of your father. I am the God of Abraham. I am the God of Isaac. And I am the God of Jacob." When Moses heard that, he turned his face away. He was afraid to look at God.

<sup>7</sup> The LORD said, "I have seen how my people are suffering in Egypt. I have heard them cry out because of their slave drivers. I am concerned about their suffering. <sup>8</sup> So I have come down to save them from the Egyptians. I will bring them up out of that land. I will bring them into a good land. It has a lot of room. It is a land that has plenty of milk and honey. The Canaanites, Hittites, Amorites, Perizzites, Hivites and Jebusites live there. <sup>9</sup> And now Israel's cry for help has reached me. I have seen how badly the Egyptians are treating them. <sup>10</sup> So now, go. I am sending you to Pharaoh. I want you to bring the Israelites out of Egypt. They are my people."

<sup>11</sup> But Moses spoke to God. "Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh?" he said. "Who am I that I should bring the Israelites out of Egypt?"

<sup>12</sup> God said, "I will be with you. I will give you a sign. It will prove that I have sent you. When you have brought the people out of Egypt, all of you will worship me on this mountain."

<sup>13</sup> Moses said to God, "Suppose I go to the people of Israel. Suppose I say to them, 'The God of your fathers has sent me to you.' And suppose they ask me, 'What is his name?' Then what should I tell them?"

<sup>14</sup> God said to Moses, "I AM WHO I AM. Here is what you must say to the Israelites. Tell them, 'I AM has sent me to you.'"

<sup>15</sup> God also said to Moses, "Say to the Israelites, 'The LORD is the God of your fathers. He has sent me to you. He is the God of Abraham. He is the God of Isaac. And he is the God of Jacob.' My name will always be The LORD. Call me this name for all time to come."

**In addition to the Faith 5 this month, please watch *The Prince of Egypt* before our next session on December 3.**

*The Prince of Egypt* streams on Peacock and Prime and is available for online rent on YouTube (\$3.99), Google Play Movies (\$3.99), Redbox (\$3.99), Vudu (\$3.99), and Apple TV (\$3.99). It is also available for free on Hoopla a digital platform for Hedberg Public Library, and for loan at the library. Additionally, we can plan a screening here at church.