

*"... If it doesn't please you to worship the LORD,
choose for yourselves today.
... As for me and my family, we will worship the LORD."
Joshua 24:15 (CSB)*

January Bible Study

Have you ever found yourself at a turning point? That place in time where it seems like choices of great consequence lay before you? A new career? A new stage of life? An important decision? Those moments carry a unique weight—the rubber is about to meet the road. You have to “choose today” the path that you will follow.

In a sense, your life is made up of a series of these moments. As time passes, these are the ones that stick out. The ones you tell stories about and reflect back on. How does your relationship with God figure into those moments? In the Book of Joshua, the people of Israel find themselves at one such moment.

After 40 years of wandering the desert, Israel arrives at a turning point. Moses is dead and buried. A new leader, Joshua, has risen in his place. How will the people respond? Will they continue to follow a godly leader and trust in the promises of God? The relationship between God and His people is dependent upon the faithfulness of God. This is a theme that dominates the book of Joshua. All throughout, we watch as God stays true to His character and faithful in all His promises toward His people to give them a land, an inheritance, and a future. Ultimately the faithfulness of God through Joshua points to the faithfulness of God through Jesus Christ, our Savior.

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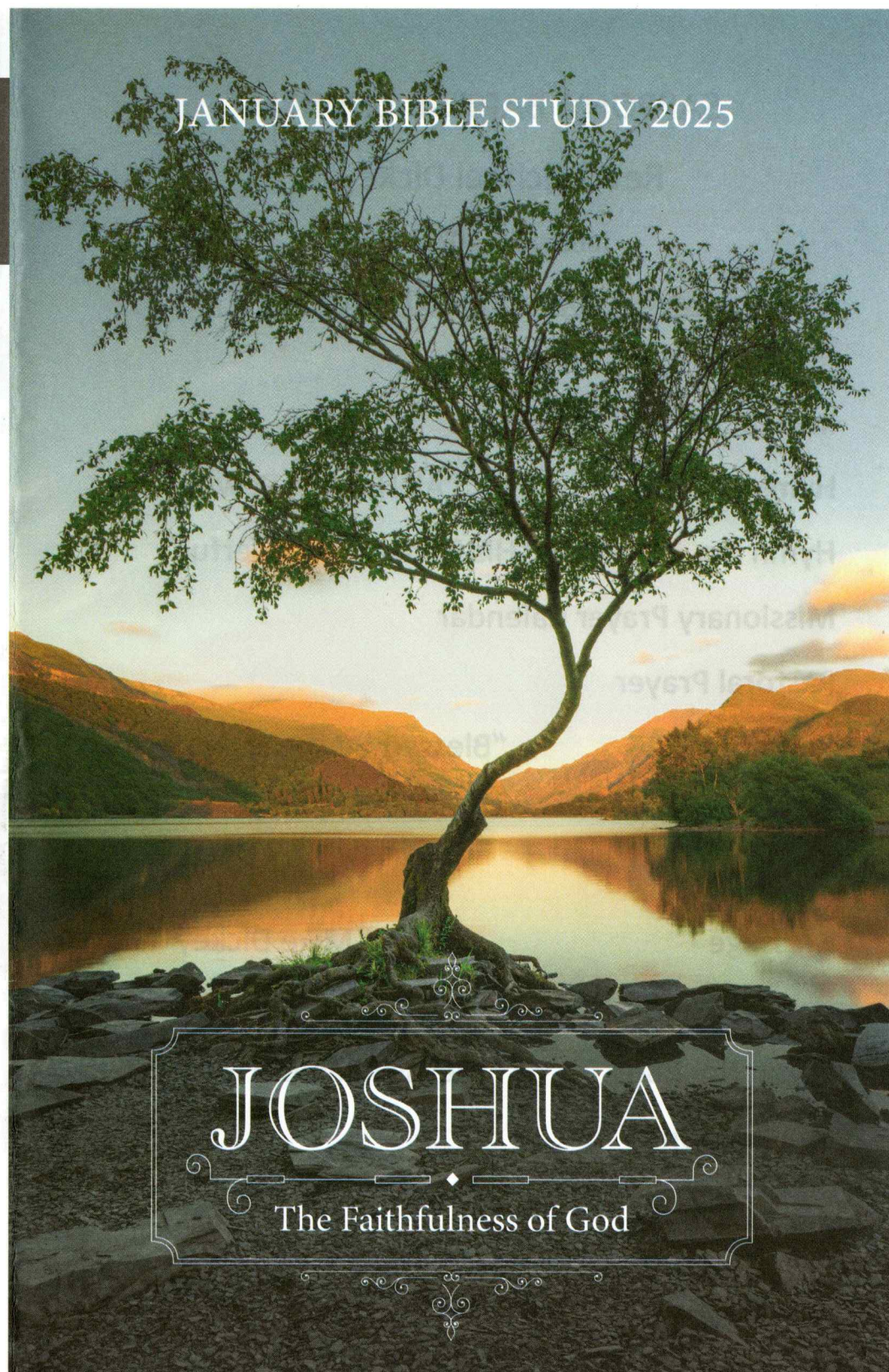
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JANUARY BIBLE STUDY 2025



JOSHUA

The Faithfulness of God

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Rev. Michael Dickey

January 5, 2025

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Invocation and welcome

Hymn No. 201 "All Hail the Power"

Hymn No. 203 "His Name is Wonderful"

Missionary Prayer Calendar

Pastoral Prayer

Hymn No. 206 "Blessed Be the Name"

Doxology

Scripture John 1:1-18

Message Rev. Mike Dickey

"That Light Shines"

Hymn No. 280 "Jesus Keep Me Near"

Benediction

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Be in prayer for our sick and shut-ins as they are unable to be with us.

Bible Study will be held on Wednesday at 3pm (early group) And 7pm (later group and students) at the parsonage.

Monday, January ^{13th} at 10:30am the WOM will meet in the Home of Ann Lewis.

We have an app for your smartphone, in the app store find "Our Church-By ChurchDev.com." When you open it, search for Sappony Baptist Church. There you will have access to our Sermons, daily devotions, and other content.

PRE-READ FOR NEXT WEEK: Luke 3:15-22