

## Beginnings: Life Lessons From Genesis

### “A Family Transformed By Grace” – Genesis 37 - 50

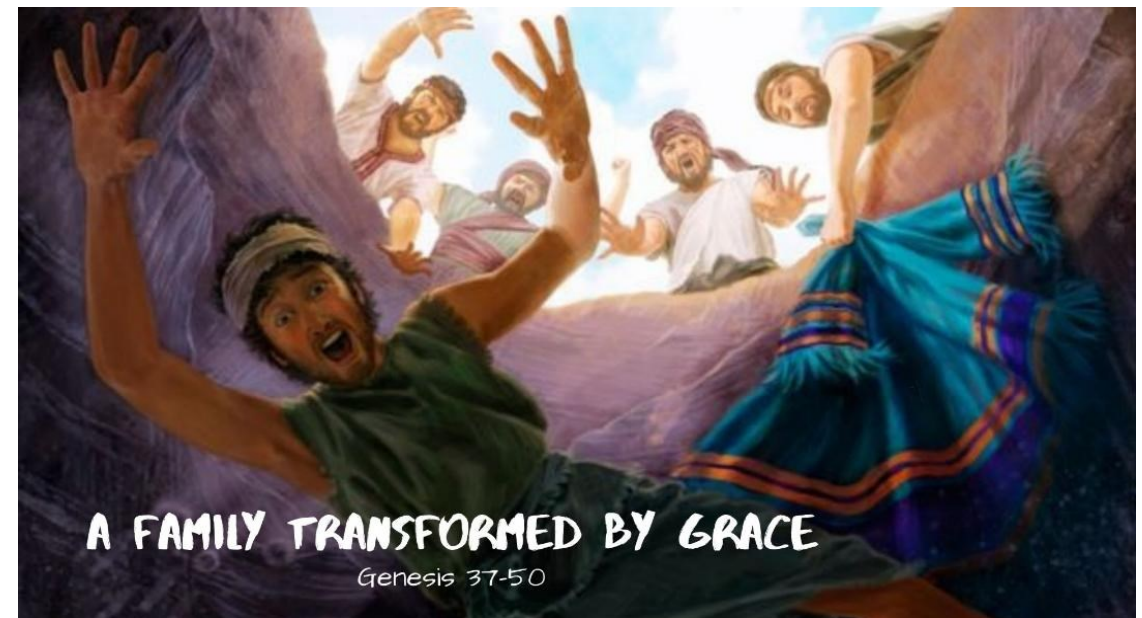
- I. **Joseph’s Brothers:** \_\_\_\_\_ men.
- A. They were \_\_\_\_\_. (Gen. 37:1-11)
- B. They were \_\_\_\_\_. (Gen. 37:18-28)
- II. **Joseph: A man of** \_\_\_\_\_.
- A. Allowed God’s grace to \_\_\_\_\_ in his suffering.
1. Refused to be a \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Refused to be \_\_\_\_\_. (Rom. 12:17-21)
3. Refused to be \_\_\_\_\_. (Eph. 4:31-32; Matt. 6:14-15)
- B. Showed God’s grace to his \_\_\_\_\_. (42:1-8; 45:3-8; 50:15-21)
- \*Joseph saw it as an opportunity for \_\_\_\_\_  
instead of \_\_\_\_\_.
- III. **Joseph’s Brothers:** \_\_\_\_\_ men.
- A. \_\_\_\_\_. (42:21-23; Matt. 10:32, 33; Rom. 10:9)
- B. \_\_\_\_\_. (43:8-9; 44:33-34)
- C. \_\_\_\_\_. (44:16; Acts 2:38)

What will you do with the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_?

# Welcome to Bethlehem Church of Christ

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*“His brothers then came and threw themselves down before him. ‘We are your slaves,’ they said. But Joseph said to them, ‘Don’t be afraid. Am I in the place of God? You intended to harm me, but God intended it for good to accomplish what is now being done, the saving of many lives. So then, don’t be afraid. I will provide for you and your children.’ And he reassured them and spoke kindly to them.”*

— Genesis 50:18-21

June 23, 2019

## Order of Worship

Welcome & Prayer

**(Please pass the blue books located at the end of each pew.)**

*This is Amazing Grace*

Encouragement time

*Wonderful Grace of Jesus* 360

*Amazing Grace, My Chains Are Gone*

*Grace Greater Than Our Sin* 84



All disciples of Jesus are invited to partake as the emblems are passed.

**Offering to God** - Guests are welcome to participate, or may simply place the visitor card in the plate.

Message Tom Claibourne

*O Come to The Altar*

Decisions / Prayer in fellowship hall

Reminders & prayer

## Bethlehem News

### Also Today

12:00 - Missionary lunch, in the pavilion  
6:00 - Christian's ordination at Dry Run Church of Christ (22336 St. Rt. 73, West Portsmouth - approximately one hour from BCC).

### This Week

Tues., 7:00 pm - Brazil Team meeting in the library.

Wed., 7:00 pm - Adult Choir Practice

### This Week's BCC Campers

Adventure 345 - June 23 - 28

**Kennedi Campbell**

**Raeghan Rothwell**

Horse Camp 1 - June 23 - 28

**Kensley Cornette**

### Patriotic Picnic - Next Sunday

Sign up in the foyer and indicate what food item you can bring. Giant slip & slide, bocce ball, ski race, corn hole and other activities to play or watch. You may want to bring a comfortable lawn chair. Activities begin at 5:00. Brief program & dinner around 6:00.

### Youth Events Face Book Page

A new group on the BCC Face Book page is available to join. Parents, please message Christian or the BCC page to be added.

This for all ages of youth at BCC to improve our communication and publicity.

### Shepherding Forms

It's not too late to sign up in the foyer to be part of the shepherding/care/relationships program.

## Thank You

To all those who helped make VBS a success. A special thanks to Monica Pence & Danielle Jodrey for their enthusiastic & excellent leadership.

Monday: 109 kids, 73 workers  
Tuesday: 132 kids, 81 workers  
Wednesday: 128 kids, 80 workers  
Thursday: 119 kids 75 workers

Offering to purchase medical supplies for outreach in Brazil was \$1,301.04.

(approximately 152 different children attended)

### Bethlehem Campout

We are considering one or two BCC family campouts if there is enough interest.. Please express your interest on the paper in the foyer. Some may want to stay overnight; others may simply want to hang out for the evening.

### Summer Connection Challenge

July 7 — September 1

(Sunday afternoons & evenings)

We encourage you to use these days to initiate gatherings with others (a hike, a cookout, an outdoor game night, a service project, an ice cream or watermelon gathering, etc.).

Maybe partner with another family and invite 1 or 2 other families. Get together with people you want to know better. Be creative. Share the cost. Consider a neutral location (park, church camp, etc.).

"Summer Connection Challenge" is about relationships. It's about getting as many people as possible interacting and sharing life. It's about Biblical hospitality and new friendships.

## Join Us in Praying

- ✚ Praise God for being the perfect, faithful Father.
- ✚ Thank God for the privilege of being part of Team Jesus.
- ✚ Thank God for wonderful facilities, volunteers, and a great VBS.
- ✚ Pray for the Martins as they search for housing in this area., and Megan for a job.
- ✚ Pray that relationships at BCC can be strengthened this summer through shepherding and lots of fellowship gatherings.
- ✚ June Mission: Central Brazil - Haubners
- ✚ Dayne Michael - recovery from Thursday's foot surgery to have a nerve removed.
- ✚ Debbie Berry - lung issues; Pat Berry's sister-in-law.
- ✚ Boedy Berry - has been in Children's Hosp. more than a week; bacterial infection has caused concerns with kidneys; 2 1/2 year old great-nephew of Pat Berry.
- ✚ Arelta Light - returned to her nursing home after a time in the hospital.
- ✚ Beau Moore - good report from Thursday's esophagus biopsy; will repeat procedure in 3 years.
- ✚ Kevin Rogers - will have hip replacement Wed. morning at Anderson Mercy.
- ✚ Ray Brown - ICU at Christ Hosp; in medically-induced coma.
- ✚ Angie & Kaitlyn Montgomery (mother & daughter); car accident June 8; Kaitlyn doing well; Angie had surgery last week; long recovery time; friends of the Rothwells.
- ✚ Other:

**Cleaning Teams:** Tom Eiterman  
Floyd & Anne Morris, & Lisa Berry  
Claibourne Family

**Mowing this week:** David Brown  
**Next:** Jeff Foster

### Next Sunday Nursery :

Coordinator: Kristen Souder  
9:30 - Connie Scott  
10:30 - Jennie, Grace Fraley, & Kayla Berry