



## **Dig Deeper @Home – Exodus 24-31**

Complement to sermon on March 20

### **MEMORIZE Exodus 40: 34-35**

“Then the cloud covered the tent of meeting, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle. And Moses was not able to enter the tent of meeting because the cloud settled on it, and the glory of the LORD filled the tabernacle.”

### **READ Exodus 24-31**

**Questions to ponder/discuss:**

1. What is this passage revealing about God and what is it revealing about us as humans?
  
2. If the above is true, what needs to change in your life? What will that look like?
  
3. In Exodus 24: 9-11 we read about a group that meets God on the mountain. It says that they “beheld God.” What does beheld mean? What do you behold? What would it look like to behold Christ in your life?
  
4. Read Exodus 28 and Hebrews 7&8 and then answer the following questions:
  - a. What garments did Aaron have to wear? How do these compare to the “garments” of Jesus, the great High Priest? (Hint: not all of Jesus’ garments are real clothes)
  
  - b. What functions did Aaron serve as priest? How does Jesus fulfill this as the ultimate High Priest?
  
  - c. Aaron bore judgment (v30) and guilt (v38) for the people of Israel. What’s different about how Jesus bore judgment and guilt?

**Bottom Line (give a one or two sentence summary of the scripture you just read):**

## Experiential

Sometimes activities help us to understand and process biblical truths. The below is one suggestion for how to experience the truths of Exodus 24-31. Feel free to use this one or any you might come up with.

### A time to Behold

This activity is to help us spend time beholding God. It is simple yet can be powerful. Look up the times of the sunrise or sunset. Plan a morning or evening to sit and watch the beauty of this. Enjoy a drink (perhaps your coffee or hot chocolate) and a snack. Bring a journal along and write down your thoughts or talk about it with those who are with you. What can we learn about our Mighty God through this?

**SING** (a suggested song to sing. Use this or any song you might want to sing)

**Revelation Song** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D-zk-E55dRk>

A great worship song asking Christ to burn within us to reach the world around us

**I Will Sing of my Redeemer** – [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o8DQR1DHc\\_Q](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o8DQR1DHc_Q)

Mennonite Hymnal #554: a hymn of praise to Jesus

### PRAY

This is a time to gather around for prayer requests and praise reports. A time to hear where God is showing up in our lives and where we need Him to show up in our lives.

### Sending prayer based on the lesson:

Father God, thank you for your presence in our lives ... that you are not far off but near, that you do not turn away from us but towards us, that you seek us and defend us and pursue us. Let our faith grow as we recount the many ways you have been there for us. In Christ we pray, Amen.