

Because He First Loved Us - Reflections on Choices & David

We've followed God's story of love from the Garden of Eden to God keeping his promise to give Abraham's many descendants. This family has received their promised land and they have grown into a nation. Then they asked for a king and God gave them a king. God invited this nation into partnership with him. If they will trust and obey him, they will be blessed and be a blessing to many nations. Israel's kings will lead them either as faithful followers of God or into rebellion.

These last few weeks, we've gotten a closer look at Israel's second king - King David who is described as a man after God's heart.

During our service this morning, we'll be breaking up into smaller discussion groups.



YOU'RE IN GROUP

Discussion Questions

Recalling King David's life from childhood, to the battlefield, to the years fleeing from Saul, to his reign as king, and the trouble in his family life...Where have you seen yourself in his story?

How are you being challenged to trust God in the choices you are making today?

How is your understanding of God's love shifting or deepening as you've watched God's story unfold so far?

How are you being stretched to love those around you differently as a result of a growing understanding of the nature of God's love for you?