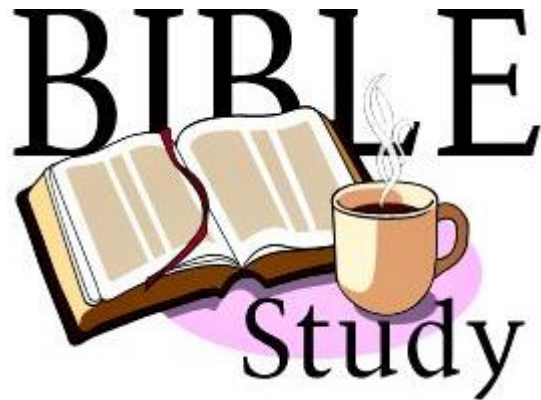


Joshua – The man and the message

STUDY 12

Readings: Joshua 4:1-10



“What do those stones mean to you?”

Home Fellowship Group Bible Study Questions

Tuesday 6th/Wednesday 7th January 2015

Quote: “We observe a certain assumption operating in 4:1-10, namely, that the greatest enemy of faith may be forgetfulness” (Dale Ralph Davis):

1) In what ways do we see this danger of ‘forgetting’ being addressed in scripture?

Two memorials were to be set up following the safe crossing of the Jordan into the Promised Land:

2) Taking the whole chapter into consideration; what purpose were these memorials to serve?

Try to imagine what was involved in getting some two million people and possessions organised in a new location.

3) With this in mind; what principle can we learn from the first thing the people are commanded to do when they set foot in Canaan?

4) What does verse 8 reveal about the spiritual state of the people at this stage?

5) What do verses 9-10 tell us about the priests?

6) What does this passage teach us about remembering what God has done in our lives? And how can we continue to do this as we go on in our Christian walk?