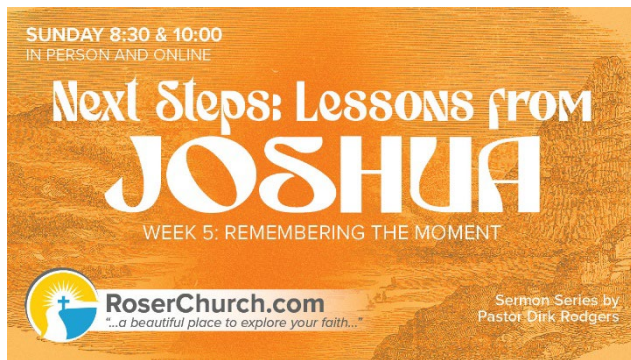




Today's Topic:

Remembering the Moment

Joshua 4:1-7

May 17, 2026

1. Every _____

“When the whole nation had finished crossing the Jordan, the LORD said to Joshua, ‘Choose twelve men from among the people, one from each tribe, and tell them to take up twelve stones from the middle of the Jordan, from right where the priests are standing, and carry them over with you and put them down at the place where you stay tonight.’” Joshua 4:1-3 (NIV, 2011)

2. Every _____

“In the future, when your children ask you, ‘What do these stones mean?’ tell them that the flow of the Jordan was cut off before the ark of the covenant of the LORD. When it crossed the Jordan, the waters of the Jordan were cut off. These stones are to be a memorial to the people of Israel forever.” Joshua 4:6b-7 (NIV, 2011)

3. Every _____

*“He did this so that all the peoples of the earth might know that the hand of the LORD is powerful and so that you might always fear the LORD your God.”
Joshua 4:24 (NIV, 2011)*

The Point

Next Steps:

Discussion Questions

1. What are some “memorial stones” or reminders that help you remember God’s faithfulness in your own life?
2. Read Joshua 4:1-3. Why did God require His people to construct this pile of stones?
3. Read Joshua 4:5b-7. How can we build similar reminders for our children?
4. Read Joshua 4:24. Why is it important for us to “fear the LORD your God”?
5. What one change can we make this week so that others will know that the LORD is our God?