

Sermon Series: God Makes a Way

The Ten Plagues | Exodus 7-11

Ohana Group Discussion Questions: Week of August 30th, 2026

OVERVIEW

Exodus 7–11 describes God’s escalating judgments against Egypt through the plagues. Again and again, Pharaoh refuses to listen, even as God demonstrates His power over Pharaoh and the gods of Egypt. In Exodus 11, God announces the final and most devastating plague—the death of the firstborn—which will finally lead to Israel’s release and prepares the way for the Passover.



OHANA TIME!



Icebreaker: Have you ever ignored a warning and later wished you had listened? What happened? **Or** Who was the most powerful or famous person you ever met in person?



Activity: Invite a friend to your Ohana Group!



PRAYER

Pray: Pray for your adopted missionary as an Ohana Group.

BIBLE: READ EXODUS 11:1-10

1. Which of the plagues in Exodus do you think would have been the most difficult to experience, and why?
2. Throughout the plagues, God repeatedly says that Egypt and Pharaoh will “know that I am the LORD” (7:5, 7:17; 8:10, 8:22; 9:14). What do the plagues reveal about who God is?
3. Exodus repeatedly speaks about Pharaoh’s heart being hardened—sometimes Pharaoh hardens his own heart, and sometimes God hardens it. What do you think the story is teaching us about Pharaoh’s persistent rejection of God?
4. Read Exodus 11:4–7. What contrast does God make between Egypt and Israel? What does this distinction teach us about God’s judgment, His promises, and His care for His people?
5. The final plague is difficult and sobering. What does Exodus 11 teach us about the seriousness of resisting God and the reality of divine judgment? How should we hold this together with what Scripture teaches about God’s mercy and patience?
6. Pharaoh had witnessed repeated demonstrations of God’s power, yet continued to resist Him. What are some ways people today can see God at work, hear His Word, or receive repeated warnings—and still become increasingly resistant to Him?



APPLICATION

1. God repeatedly warned Pharaoh before judgment came. What does this teach us about taking God’s Word seriously, and how can we cultivate a heart that is responsive rather than hardened toward Him?
2. God used Moses as His messenger in a difficult and intimidating situation. Where might God be calling you to speak, encourage, or share His truth with someone this week?

