

Sermon series: Transitions Text: Joshua 1:1-9 Delivered: January 9th, 2022

# The Grounding of Our Transitions

Big Idea: God's Word grounds our lives throughout seasons of transition.

## Why Should We Want to Be Bible-Saturated? (vs.1,8)

God \_\_\_\_\_\_ to us through a book.
"Visit many good books, but Live in the Bible." -Charles Spurgeon

### What does Bible-Saturation do to us?

- God's Word \_\_\_\_\_ our minds. (vs. 2)
  - God's Word reorders how we think about our \_\_\_\_\_.
  - God's Word reorders what we think is \_\_\_\_\_.
- God's Word \_\_\_\_\_ our reality. (vs. 3-6)
  - God invites us to see the world in a different \_\_\_\_\_
    - God invites us to \_\_\_\_\_ his presence with us.

### How do we become Bible-Saturated? (vs.7-8)

- \_\_\_\_\_ the Bible.
- \_\_\_\_\_ on the Bible.
- \_\_\_\_\_ according to the Bible.
- What are some things that can cause you to have fear currently in your life? Are there any big changes or transitions that can bring fears into your life? What are those fears?
- Take a moment and think over these words: "Be strong and courageous, do not be frightened or dismayed, for the LORD your God is with you wherever you go." How can these words help you in the face of whatever you are fearful of?



- Take a moment to watch this: <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wOhkldCSs04&t=64s</u>
  - What in that video helps you recapture some of the wonder of what we have in the Bible?
- What are some ways that you've seen God reorder how you think, feel, or live through what he's said in the Bible?
- What are some ways that God has used the Bible to open up your eyes to see the world in a different light?
- What habits have you developed in the past with the Bible that have been helpful to you?
- What new habits with the Bible would you like to develop in 2022?
- If you are a parent or grandparent what's one way you can seek to help your family become Bible-Saturated in the coming year?

#### Further Resources:

- <u>https://www.navigators.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/navigators-bible-reading-plan.pdf</u>
- <u>https://bibleproject.com/app/</u>
- <u>https://www.fighterverses.com</u>