

**January Sermon Series Now It Begins...**

**Sermon Title: - Consecrate Yourself, For On Tommorrow, The Lord Will Do Amazing Things Through You**

Preparation and Faith:

1. What specific instructions did Joshua give the Israelites before crossing the Jordan, and how do these instructions demonstrate the importance of preparation and faith in God's promises?

Role of the Ark of the Covenant:

2. Why was the Ark of the Covenant carried ahead of the people, and what does this signify about God's presence and guidance in our lives?

Consecration:

3. In Joshua 3:5, Joshua tells the people to consecrate themselves. What does it mean to consecrate oneself, and why was this necessary before witnessing God's wonders?

Obedience to Leadership:

4. How did the people's obedience to Joshua's leadership and God's commands play a role in the miraculous crossing of the Jordan? What can we learn about the relationship between obedience and experiencing God's power?

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God's Timing and Power:\*\*

5. Reflect on the timing of the crossing at the flood stage of the Jordan River. How does this event demonstrate God's power and timing in seemingly impossible situations in our lives?

Memorializing God's Miracles

6. In the later verses of Joshua 4, the Israelites are instructed to set up memorial stones to remember the crossing. How can we apply the principle of memorializing God's work in our own spiritual journeys today?

Bonus Nugget - Acacia wood, what prophetic insight/symbolism does it point to?