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- 1. What stood out to you from this week's message?
- 2. "Noah" means rest; rest meaning coming to a place of contentment and understanding of the purpose of your life. Are you sure of your purpose and what the Lord has called you to? If yes, how does this give you a sense of peace and re-assurance? If no, how are you finding out your purpose?
- 3. Noah was a difference maker. Name someone who really made a difference in your life. What did that person do to make such an impact? What are some of the key lessons they taught?
- 4. **Read Hebrews 11:7**. What stands out to you about the character of Noah from this passage?
- 5. Andy said that sometimes we get stuck in our yes and we just need to take the first step. What does that mean? Share about a time you knew you were supposed to take a first step, did you? What happened?
- 6. **Read 1 Samuel 15:22-23**. Talk about this passage. What does God delight in most? What does this look like in our evangelical way of doing Christianity?
- 7. Noah spent a long time building but didn't lose trust. What is something in your life you have been trusting God for? How long have you been waiting? What is the promise God gave you, how do you remain encouraged in it?
- 8. **Read Matthew 28:20.** Name a time in your life when you knew that the Lord was helping you through a situation. How did the situation turn out?

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