

# Message Notes ~ February 21, 2010

## “Stories of Faith Make Faithful Kids”

### Reading Our Text: Psalm 78:1-8

#### Understanding the Whole Psalm

- Ephraim \_\_\_replaced\_\_\_ – Judah \_\_\_embraced\_\_\_ vs. 9-11, 65-72
- Why? They \_\_\_forgot\_\_\_ the stories of God – David lived with \_\_\_integrity\_\_\_
- It's OK if it's not perfect - the message is more important than the sequence
  - Exodus and Wilderness vs. 12-14
  - Water and Manna vs. 15-31
  - Plagues of Egypt vs. 42-53
  - Promised Land vs. 54-64
- Why history kept repeating itself vs. 32-37
- They did not keep the \_\_\_story\_\_\_ \_\_\_constantly\_\_\_ before them

#### Faithful Stories Make Faithful Kids

- The power of story – easily \_\_\_remembered\_\_\_ vs. 1-3
- Embarrassed? Tell it – don't \_\_\_hide\_\_\_ it v. 4
- We've got to know the \_\_\_boundaries\_\_\_ v. 5
- The \_\_\_multi-generational\_\_\_ effect v. 6
- Then . . . v. 7-8

#### Growing Faithful Kids

- \_\_\_Tell\_\_\_ and \_\_\_teach\_\_\_ Bible stories
- Tell \_\_\_your\_\_\_ redemptive story so they know how to \_\_\_shape\_\_\_ their own
- \_\_\_Connect\_\_\_ all of life to God's story