



# A Worship Study Guide for Individuals, Groups and Families: For the week of June 24, 2018

Note to Discussion Leaders: Have members read the Bible passage in the group meeting. This is a "worship discussion" guide, and our reflections and applications are grounded in Scripture. Read through this guide before meeting with the group. You do <u>not</u> need to work through the whole guide. Decide which points would be most helpful for the time of meeting together, and use them as a starting point for your time together.

## Numbers 31:1-54 "War"

This week, Steve Shelby preached on Numbers 31:1-54.

## **Going Deeper in God's Worship**

#### Reflect on the text together. Hear the sermon here.

- 1.) What is true about God's character, promises or work?
- 2.) What does the Scripture teach you about yourself or others?
- 3.) Are you encouraged to follow Jesus in His mission? How?

#### Reflect on the whole of Sunday's liturgy together. Locate this week's Order of Worship here.

- 1.) Was there an element of the worship service that you would like to share with the group?
  - A Scripture verse that was read?
  - A prayer that was prayed?
  - A song that was sung?
  - A sacrament that was administered?
  - A way that glory was given to God?
  - A way that someone encouraged you?
- 2.) Did the Holy Spirit convict, change, or encourage you in any way you wish to share with the group?
- 3.) Is Jesus leading you or the group to take a specific risk to minister the Good News to Richmond? Your neighbors? Your co-workers? Your family and friends?

### **Going Further in Christ's Mission**

- 1.) Have the Scripture text open in front of you as a guide to your prayers.
  - Spend time thanking God and giving Him glory.
- 2.) Ask the Lord for vision, strength and faith as followers of Jesus Christ.
  - Count on the work of the Holy Spirit for change.
  - Ask for God's forgiveness and grace to repent of sin and trust Jesus.
  - Pray for the world, our country, Richmond, and the Church.
  - Pray for members of your group, family members, or co-workers, neighbors and friends.