



SERMON NOTES

Sunday, June 5, 2022 | Pastor Justin Waples

“Moses and the Burning Bush - Placed for a Purpose”

Exodus 3

1. Moses was *Placed for a Purpose* to tend his sheep.
(Exodus 3:1-6)
2. Israel was *Placed for a Purpose*, even amidst slavery.
(Exodus 3:7-12)

3. Man will only be *Placed for a Purpose* by God.
(Exodus 3:13-18)

4. God will bless those He has *Placed for a Purpose*.
(Exodus 3:19-22)

Table Talk

- 1) Why was Moses so adverse to “Go” as God had commanded him? When have we been told to “Go” by God and resisted? If Moses was still a wanted man back in Egypt, what thoughts or concerns might he have had for himself and God’s people if he returned?
- 2) Are Moses’ sins too great for God to forgive? If not, why would Moses smear his past sins over the rest of his life? Do we feel like we must smear our past sins over the rest of our lives, and what are the consequences of those actions? How does constantly blaming ourselves for our past sins cause us to enter into our own time of exile?
- 3) Where has God placed you, and how can you be loving and welcoming to your neighbors? What gifts and skills has God given you to care for and equip your neighbors? What areas do you need help in that you would be willing to receive support from your neighbors?
- 4) Who from the Sunday Worship services, your Adult Bible Fellowship, or Small Group lives in your neighborhood or down the country road that you could connect with in hosting a Block Party or neighborhood cook-out? How might God bless this effort? In what ways could your Adult Bible Fellowship or Small Group be a blessing to a neighbor in need?