## Sin – The Obstacle to Receiving the Promises of God

Joshua 7:1 - 8:2

Introduction: The consequences of sin

- I. What happened?
  - A. Sin brought defeat into their lives (v. 1-5)
  - B. God answered prayer (v. 6-15)
  - C. The sin was dealt with (v. 16-25)
  - D. God showed grace (v. 7:26-8:2)
- II. The lessons for us
  - A. We have a responsibility to each other
  - B. It is not wise to wait to get rid of sin
  - C. Always pray
  - D. Always believe that God loves you

Conclusion: Today, God still tells us that if we don't get rid of our sins, He won't be with us. May we be cleansed by God, and through the help of the Holy Spirit, become holy. We will be with God, receive His promise, and enjoy all the blessings God bestows with joy.

## **Sharing and Discussion**

- 1. What drew your attention most during the message?
- 2. Which one of the four lessons do you have the most reflection on?
- 3. Besides these four lessons, what other revelations have you received?
- 4. What takeaway can you put into action and share with others?

## 罪-承受神應許的障礙

約書亞記 7:1 - 8:2

引言:犯罪的後果

- I. 怎麼回事?
  - A. 罪帶來生命中的挫敗 (v. 1-5)
  - B. 神回應禱告 (v. 6-15)
  - C. 對罪的處理 (v. 16-25)
  - D. 神彰顯恩典 (v. 7:26-8:2)
- II. 我們學的功課
  - A. 我們彼此負責
  - B. 拖延除罪是不智之舉
  - C. 總要禱告
  - D. 永遠相信神愛你

結論: 今天神仍然告訴我們,如果我們不除去罪惡,祂不會與我們同在。願我們蒙神潔淨、並在聖靈的幫助下成為聖潔,好使我們在領取神的應許時有神的同在,歡喜快樂的享受神所賜一切的福。

## 分享與討論

- 1) 在今天的信息中,你對什麼有最大的回應?
- 2) 你對四項功課中的那一項你最有心得與回應?
- 3) 除了這四項功課你還領受到甚麼啟示?
- 4) 從今天所得、甚麼會讓你有實際行動及與人分享?