

Stanmore Chapel Sunday School

Exodus part 1

Exodus 1-2

Beginners & Pioneers

(Cross out the wrong words)

Why was the new Pharaoh afraid of the Israelites?

(They all carried knives/They had increased in number)

(ch.1 v.7,9)

What did Pharaoh do to try to stop the Israelites growing?

(Enslaved the Israelites with harsh labour/Increased his police force)

(ch.1 v.11-14)




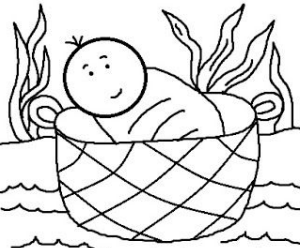
When the Israelites continued to grow, what rule did Pharaoh make?

(Facemasks must be worn indoors/No Israelite boys could live)

(ch.1 v.15-16,22)

When Moses was born what did his mother do

(Circle each right answer)

<p>Had a party for the new baby</p> 	<p>Hid him for 3 months</p> 
<p>Threw him in the Nile</p> 	<p>Placed him in a basket, in the Nile</p> 

(ch.2 v.1-3)

(Cross out the wrong words)

Who saw Moses' basket in the reeds and had him taken out?

(The lifeguard on duty/Pharaoh's daughter)

(ch.2 v.5)

What did Pharaoh's daughter do after feeling sorry for Moses?

(Paid Moses' mother to look after him/Gave Moses a gentle pat and put him back in the Nile)

(ch.2 v.8-9)



Chat with your parents/caregiver

R..R..R..Rewind: Do you remember a few weeks ago, when we did some worksheets on Joseph? We saw God starting to act on his promises to Abraham and Isaac and Jacob – promises that Joseph reminds his brothers of right at the end of Genesis.

Let's remind ourselves of what God had promised Joseph's father Jacob back in Genesis chapter 46 v.2-4: God told Jacob not to fear going down to Egypt, because God would go with him, and would make Jacob (Israel) into a great nation there. Let's keep that in mind!

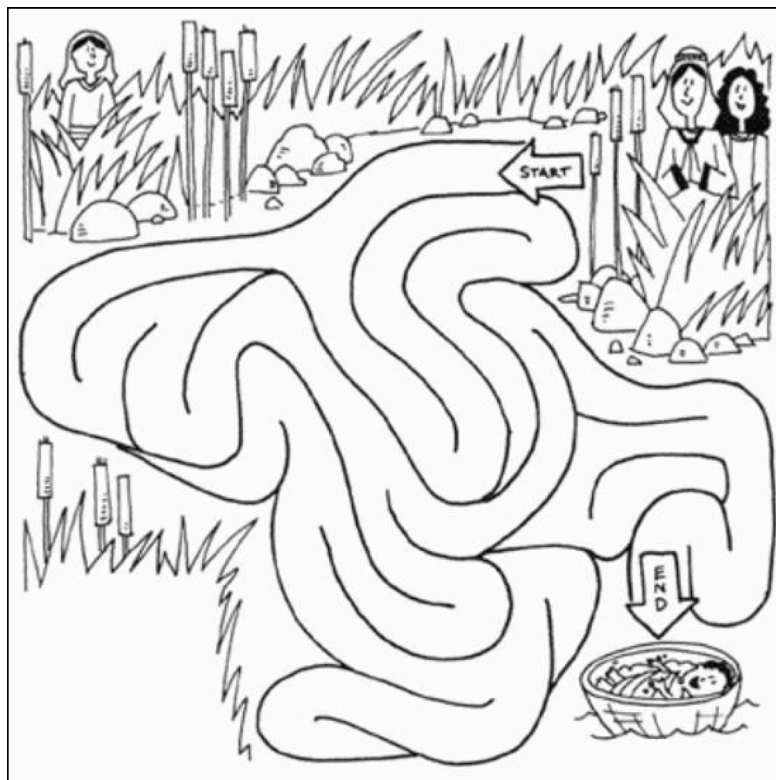
- What was it that the new Pharaoh was afraid of? (Hint: ch.1 v.9)
- What did Joseph mean to the new Pharaoh? (Hint: ch.1 v.8)
- What happened when Pharaoh oppressed the Israelites? (Hint: ch.1 v.12)
- Who was really in charge making Israel grow? (Remember Genesis ch.46 v.2-4)

Pharaoh didn't know Joseph, and so he certainly didn't know God's promises to Israel. Pharaoh didn't know that trying to oppress God's people would be pointless!! God was in complete control and very busy fulfilling his promises to Israel (Jacob). There was nothing Pharaoh could do to stop him!

Let's pray!

Let's thank God that he keeps his promises and we can trust him. Let's be joyful that we know God is powerful enough to keep his promises, and even when things are looking bad he's working out his plans. Let's ask God to help us to trust him even when we are struggling to see how God can be in control. Amen

Help Pharaoh's daughter to find Moses' Basket



Explorers

Scribble out the x's to complete the verses:

Now (xxJxoxxsxxexpxhxx) and all his brothers and all that generation died, but the Israelites were exceedingly fruitful; they multiplied greatly, increased in (xxnxuxmxbxexxxrxxxxsxx) and became so numerous that the (xxlxxxaxxxnxxdxxx) was filled with them.

Then a new king, to whom Joseph meant nothing, came to power in (xExgxyxxpxttx). 'Look,' he said to his people, 'the Israelites have become far too numerous for us. Come, we must deal shrewdly with them or they will become even more numerous and, if war breaks out, will (xjxxoxixnx) our enemies, fight against us and leave the country.'

So they put slave masters over them to (xoxxpxpxrxesxx) them with forced labour, and they built Pithom and Rameses as store cities for Pharaoh. But the more they were oppressed, the more they multiplied and (sxxxprrxxexxxaxxdxx); so the Egyptians came to dread the Israelites and worked them ruthlessly. (ch.1 v.6-13)

Cross out the wrong words to complete the verses:

The king of (**Rock'n'roll/Egypt**) said to the Hebrew midwives, whose names were Shiphrah and Puah, 'When you are helping the Hebrew women during childbirth on the delivery stool, if you see that the baby is a boy, (**bathe/kill**) him; but if it is a girl, let her (**smell/live**).' The midwives, however, feared (**Pharaoh/God**) and did not do what the king of Egypt had told them to do; they let the boys live.

So God was kind to the midwives and the people increased and became even more (**numerous/overweight**). And because the midwives feared God, he gave them (**kittens/families**) of their own.

Then Pharaoh gave this order to all his people: 'Every Hebrew boy that is born you must throw into the (**Pool/Nile**), but let every girl live.' (ch.1 v.15-17,20-22)

Cross out the wrong words to answer the questions:

What did Moses' Mother do when he was born?
(**Hid him for 3 months/Held a baby shower**) (ch.2 v.2)

When he got too big, what did she do?
(**Put him up for adoption/Placed him in a basket in the Nile**) (ch.2 v.3)

Who found Moses and had him drawn out of the Nile?
(**Pharaoh's daughter/A crocodile**) (ch.2 v.5)

After feeling sorry for the baby, what did Pharaoh's Daughter do?
(**Paid Moses' mother to raise him/Fed him to the disappointed crocodile**) (ch.2 v.8-9)

Have a think/chat with your parents/caregiver

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- Why did the midwives disobey Pharaoh? (*Not in the video, so please read: v.15-22*)
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Fun Fact:
The word used for Moses' basket is the same word for 'Ark'.

Can you think of another time that God has saved someone through water using an Ark?

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