### **LESSON 10**

# Righteous Noah, the Waves of Judgment and the Ark of Promise

Genesis 6:9-8:14



A Time for **Assembly**: *Introduction* to gather together through ice breaker. (about 10 minutes)

#### For Starting Communication:

Share briefly your experience of heavy flooding (e.g., when a super typhoon like Ondoy struck).



A Time for **Adoration**: *Inspiration* to worship God through invocation, thanksgiving, and reading Scripture. (about 25 minutes)

#### **Suggested Songs:**

"Cover the Earth" (Israel Houghton, Meleasa Houghton, Cindy Ratcliffe. 2003 Integrity's Praise Music) "Rock of Ages" (Integrity's Hosanna! Music)

Scripture Reading: Genesis 6:9-8:14

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A Time for **Admonition**: *Instruction* to communicate one's investigation of the story (content), interpretation based on the setting (context), and integration of the two for the spiritual truth (concept). *(about 50 minutes)* 

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1.	How does Moses, the author of Genesis, describe Noah (6:9,22;7:5)? Did God save Noah by virtue of his own righteousness? Read Hebrews 11:7.
2.	At what stage in the flood story did God reveal to Noah how He was going to destroy all the people and the earth (6:13, 17; 7:4)? How did God tell Noah to escape the flood (6:18)?
3.	What did the flood and the ark represent?
4.	What did the olive leaf represent?
5.	Can we believe the biblical story of a global (worldwide) flood in Noah's time (7:17-24)? Read 2 Peter 3:3-7.

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A Time for **Accountability**: *Invitation* to apply the implication of the Scripture (connect), implementation of a specific action (condúct), and intercession for the saints/seekers (concern). *(about 35 minutes)* 

- 1. In what way does the story of Noah and the flood illustrate that grace and election are not conditioned by anything in those who are their objects?
- 2. Looking at how Noah obeyed God in a meticulous way, in what areas of your life do you need to demonstrate careful obedience to God?
- 3. How can the group pray for you? Share now your personal needs or concerns with your accountability and prayer partners. These may include attitudes that need to be changed and specific actions to be done in obedience to God's Word. As you intercede for each other ("saints"), pray also for others outside the group who need to know Jesus ("seekers").

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