

Ezra: Continue?

For the first 3 weeks we'll focus on the story of Ezra and his ministry with the ancient Israelites is a powerful one. Coming out of the Babylonian captivity, it's almost as if in this "game over" moment of their history, God asked the question, "Continue?" Over the course of three weeks, students will see God work to restore and rebuild the Israelite community, with a focus on the ministry of the priest Ezra.

A.I.: Artificial

Who am I? Whether they realize it or not, it's one of the biggest questions or high schoolers asking. With so many voices speaking into their sense of identity in this phase, it's becoming more and more difficult for teens to hear the truth of who they are above the noise. In this series will encourage them to turn the volume up on who God says they are and let that be the real, authentic foundation for their identity.

MEMORY VERSE

"Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you'll be able to test and approve what God's will is - he's good, pleasing and perfect will.
Romans 12:2

ENGAGE IN EVERYDAY MOMENTS TOGETHER

Morning Time

As your teen starts their day, ask them if there's a challenge coming up this week that you can pray with them about. Avoid the temptation to explain or minimize what they share.

Their Time

Follow up on the prayer request from the morning time cue. Show your team that you care about what concerns them.

Meal Time

At a meal this week, have everyone answer this question: "tell me one good thing about you." Encourage everyone to answer this question for themselves. If someone is stuck, ask questions to lead them to an answer.

Bed Time

Pray that you and your team will have the courage to be authentic and honest, no matter what other people think.

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High School



Week One of Ezra: Continue?

1 Chronicles 9:1, Ezra 3:1, 11-13

God will continue no matter what

Week Two of Ezra: Continue?

Ezra 7:1-5, 6, 10, 26, 9:2-4

Follow the conviction that's been given

Week Three of Ezra: Continue?

Ezra 7:10, Nehemiah 7:73b-8:3, 6

Commit to the Lord

Week One of A.I. Artificial Identity

Psalms 139:13-18

What God thinks about me is the most important thing about me
