

Genesis

God's World. God's Story.



Do-Over

Genesis 9:18-11:9

Big Idea: I need more than a second chance; I need a last Adam Savior.

Outline:

1. Noah's New Creation

2. Curses and Confusion Corrupt the New Creation

3. The Last Adam's New Creation

Discussion Questions:

1. What parallels do you see between Noah and Adam?
2. Why do you think Ham's actions and attitude were treated so severely by Noah? What warnings about the nature of sin are in this passage?
3. How can we show similar grace toward the shame of others that Shem and Japheth showed toward their father? (See Galatians 6:1-2, 1 Peter 4:8).
4. Do the curses on Canaan apply to anyone living today? What difference (if any) does our ethnic heritage make in how God sees and saves us?
5. What parallels and differences do you see between Adam and Jesus? (See Romans 5:12-21, 1 Cor 15:21-22, 45-49)
6. How is God's plan of salvation through Jesus greater than a mere second chance or "do-over"?
7. The themes of "shame" and "curses" are part of Genesis 9 narrative. How do these themes relate to the gospel of Jesus?
8. What hope does it give us to know we are a new creation (2 Cor. 5:17)? ...to know that a new creation is coming (Rom. 8:22-30)?

January 2026

Week 1 Starting January 5	Week 2 Starting January 12	Week 3 Starting January 19	Week 4 Starting January 26
Day 1: 2 Samuel 3	Day 1: 2 Samuel 8	Day 1: 2 Samuel 13	Day 1: 2 Samuel 18
Day 2: 2 Samuel 4	Day 2: 2 Samuel 9	Day 2: 2 Samuel 14	Day 2: 2 Samuel 19
Day 3: 2 Samuel 5	Day 3: 2 Samuel 10	Day 3: 2 Samuel 15	Day 3: 2 Samuel 20
Day 4: 2 Samuel 6	Day 4: 2 Samuel 11	Day 4: 2 Samuel 16	Day 4: 2 Samuel 21
Day 5: 2 Samuel 7	Day 5: 2 Samuel 12	Day 5: 2 Samuel 17	Day 5: 2 Samuel 22

The Word became Flesh: Introduction to the Word

1. In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.
2. He was in the beginning with God.
3. All things were made through him, and without him was not any thing made that was made.

John 1:1-3 (ESV)