A Call to Transition Sunday Specials Pastor St. John Eyre November 27, 2022

Transition, change, new era. It can go by many names. Some welcome it, some choose to wait and see, and other find it difficult to embrace. Still, Gods provision is always prepared when we face a change.

The manna stopped the day after they ate this food from the land; there was no longer any manna for the Israelites, but that year they ate the produce of Canaan. Joshua 5:12

It is important to realize that when God is reshaping an environment that we should look to adapt to Gods plans. It is actually a maturing of our faith. When the pillar of fire and cloud by day disappear on the horizon of our life we are wise to listen for the voice of God and his instructions.

Key points:

- 1. Things can change at any moment (both good and bad).
- 2. We all go through changes (mid-life, child to adult, unhealthy to healthy church).
- 3. Jesus spent 40 days being tempted, yet allowed himself to be led by the Holy Spirit.
- 4. Always know that in the middle of change and down the road, the Lord is always there.

Discussion points:

- 1. You have heard the term "bring it on." What can that look like?
- 2. Reality check what changes are you struggling with?
- 3. How can we help each other through transitions?

No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. Joshua 1:5

So there you have it, personal assurance of God's favor, and the word of God dwelling richly in you, and your church. Two keys to help us successfully navigate the transitional moments of life.