

Questions

1. How would you explain the meaning of the word *repentance*?
2. When you are struggling in sin, do you ever battle with questions and doubts about your relationship with God? What are some statements from God's Word that can give you assurance? How can Joshua 8:1 be of help?
3. How has God's Word spoken to and changed a sinful way of thinking that you once held to?
4. Read Ephesians 4:20-24. Repentant obedience puts off old sinful ways and puts on new ways of righteousness. Is there a pattern of righteous thinking and behavior that you need to put on in place of an old sinful pattern?
5. What is the significance of the events described in Joshua 8:30-35 (cf. Deuteronomy 11:26-29; 27:2-8)? How does our celebration of communion provide a similar kind of action? Why are such reminders necessary for believers in Jesus?
6. Consider the burnt offerings and fellowship offerings that were offered at Mount Ebal. From your own experience, can you appreciate the importance of confessing sin and recounting the sacrifice of Jesus Christ as the offering for your sin, and then rejoicing in the fellowship with God that results from repentance? Is there room for more of such actions in your life?

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to pray with you after the 1st & 2nd services.*

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Joshua

The Story of
The Promise-Keeping God

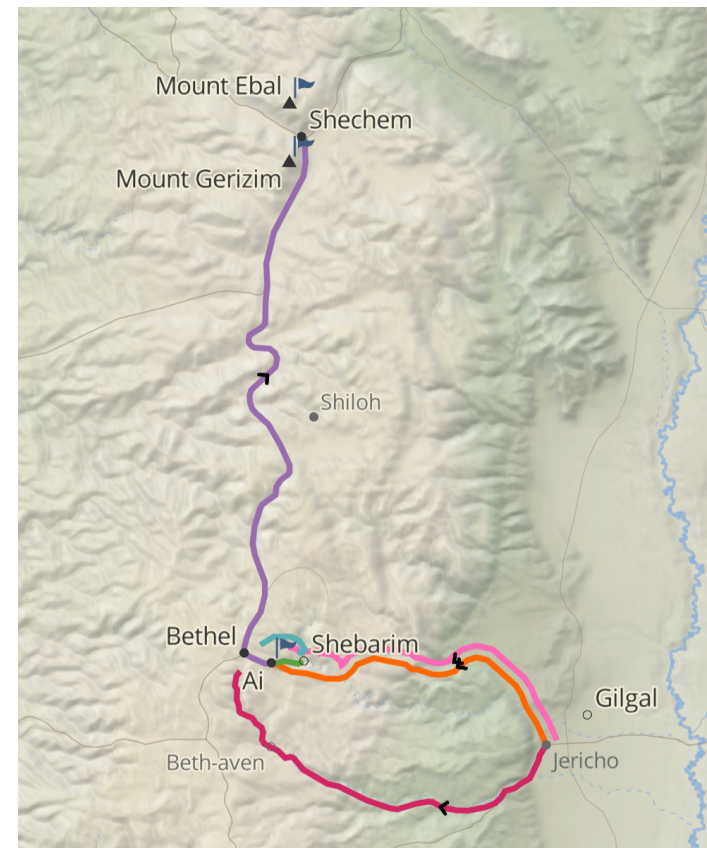
The Refreshment of Repentance

Joshua 8:1-35

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In Joshua 8, we see three clear markers of what it means to repent before God.



1. Listening to God

2. Obeying God's instructions

3. Worshipping God

The Refreshment of Repentance (Acts 3:19-20)