

1. Commissioning the Israelites to change the calendar as well as celebrating the Passover from this day forward makes it clear that God wants this moment to be a central, defining event in the life of Israel? Why do you think that is?

2. How do the plagues destroy the worship of the false gods of Egypt?

3. What illustrations of the gospel are visible within the Passover celebration? What ones do you particularly see in the Last Supper?

4. The Lord declares there should be a sacrifice and redemption for the firstborn in Israel too. How does the Lord accomplish this first through Levi, and later through Christ?

5. Which elements of the redemptive story (creation, fall, redemption, restoration) are visible in this chapter?

6. How does this chapter inform the way you should view and reach out to the world around you?

7. What challenge or encouragement did this passage provide to your soul?

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For the 52 weeks of 2018, we will be featuring one chapter per week during our music liturgy

Read the chapter and consider the following questions.

How does this passage predict/inform the exile Israel faces?

How does this chapter instruct/rebuke/encourage the faith of the Israelites?

How can this inform my thinking as an "elect exile?"