### Christ the King Kid’s Notes

“The Ongoing Story”

Exodus 1:1-7

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We are shaped by the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ we come to know and love.

Exodus is a story to read over and over—to come to know by heart.

**Goal:** that we will get acquainted, then familiar, then intimate with the text

**A. Exodus is part of an ongoing story**

Exodus begins like a true \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, in medias res

**B. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ matter**

“Rejoice that your names are written in heaven” ~Luke 10:20

**C. Great hope in media res**

The Lord keeps His \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and accomplishes His purposes

1. God gives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* “The people of Israel were \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and increased greatly; they multiplied and grew exceedingly strong, so that the land was filled with them.” ~Exodus 1:7
* This is the language of promise…of blessing…of life!
* “And God blessed Adam and Eve. And God said to them, “Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion…” ~Genesis 1:28

2. God gives \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* He is covenant-making and covenant-keeping
* “I will make you into a great nation and I will bless you” ~Genesis 12:2a
* “I will surely multiply your offspring as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­ of heaven and as the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ that is on the seashore. “ ~Genesis 22:17

3. Our God is to be celebrated

**D. We are in media res**

In the middle of the ongoing story of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. Exodus is full of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ instructive metaphors

a. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* Moses: “I have been a sojourner in a foreign land.” ~Exodus 2:22
* The apostle Peter calls us “sojourners and exiles” ~1 Peter 2:11

b. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_—a place of trial, exposure, temptation, hardship

2. Gifts along the way

“If God is for us, who can be against us?” ~Romans 8:31

3. The extraordinary ordinary

Most of life is lived somewhere in the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

a. Our part in the story: to be \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

b. The Lord does much with little

**E. The unspeakable \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

Exodus is full of promise fulfilled in Jesus