

## Activity Sheet, 16 September 2018

### Noah's flood Genesis 6v8-8v20

- Noah is one of the most famous people in all history
- Noah is essential to God's purpose in the flood being fulfilled
- Noah's life bridges two epochs in earth history

➤ "Noah's life overlapped with Abraham." True or false?

#### (1) Noah like us (or what we should be)

- found grace
- walked with God
- great faith
- hero who preserved life

➤ What did Noah deserve along with everyone else listed in Genesis 5? (e.g. see 6v17)

➤ "It is possible to be morally upright and hate God." True or false?

#### (2) Noah like Adam

- image of God
- represents humanity
- same problem

➤ What came to both Adam and Noah (2v19, 6v20, 7v9, 7v15)?

➤ Who did God originally command to "fill the earth" like Noah? (Compare 1v28, 9v1)

#### (3) Noah like Christ

- brings rest
- salvation through judgement
- ancestor of Christ

▶ Do you have Noah's faith?

➤ What did Jesus promise to those who came to him? (Matthew 11v28)

➤ Match the bird with the food: (a) raven, (b) dove (c) dead flesh, (d) living plants

#### Questions for discussion:

1. Why does it matter that Noah really existed?
2. What is the significance of Noah's name (5v29)?
3. What is faith? What can we learn from Noah's example of faith (also see Hebrews 11v7)?
4. Noah was different to those around him in the pre-flood world. How can we resist peer-pressure today?
5. What similarities are there between the salvation accomplished by Noah and by Jesus? How does Noah compare to Jesus, the *second* man and *last* Adam (1 Corinthians 15v45-49)?
6. Noah was made for a new world (after the flood), but lived for a long time in the old world (before the flood) warning of its destruction. How is that similar to Christians living today?