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On the Journey

BLESSING THE PAST AS WE
MOVE INTO THE FUTURE

Remember, but Don't Look Back

"Always **remember** that you were slaves in Egypt and that the Lord your God redeemed you from your slavery."

Deuteronomy 24:18

"... **Remember**, he has identified you as his own, guaranteeing that you will be saved on the day of redemption."

Ephesians 4:30

But Jesus told him, "Anyone who puts a hand to the plow and then **looks back** is not fit for the Kingdom of God."

Luke 9:62

BIG IDEA:

Remembering our past builds faith and endurance in us as we recall God's faithfulness, but the past is not meant to be a source of comfort or refuge: God is.

The Benefits of Remembering

1. *Roots us* - in God's Story
2. *Affirms us* - our call in Christ
3. *Protects us* - during times of testing and trials.

Take Away Questions

1. What do I need to remember about God's Story that strengthens my faith?
2. What do I need to remember about our church family at TJC that makes me thankful?

Memory Verse for the Week

"So do not throw away this confident trust in the Lord. Remember the great reward it brings you!"

Hebrews 10:35 (NLT)



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