



GOD GIVES ME A NEW HOPE

October 26, 2025 // Joel 1-3

What I Learned

- This weekend, we learned that ***“God Gives Me a New Hope.”*** In our Bible story from the book of Joel, God gave the people a message that suffering would come as a result of their sin. But Joel also told the people that God loved them and His forgiveness would never run out. He told them to not be afraid because God would make everything new again.
- We all deserve punishment for our sin, but instead, God gives us love and forgiveness. God is ready to restore and make us new when we believe in Him and ask for forgiveness.
- We understand that we can have hope in the future because of forgiveness and a new life with God forever.

Get Talking

Read **Joel 1-3** as a family.

- This week, take **1 day** to ask these **2 questions** and spend **3 minutes** talking about them:
 - Can we know for sure that good things will always happen in our life?
 - How should we respond when bad things happen?
- Each night this upcoming week, invite the entire family to pray and ask God to help them follow Him the next day.
- Share that we can look forward to the hope we have when we trust and follow God every day.

October Verse

“Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.”

2 Corinthians 5:17

- God gives us a new hope when we trust and follow Jesus because He makes us a new creation. We become totally new because God gives us new life in Jesus; this new life lasts forever!