

## Lesson 4: The Flood and The Tower of Babel

### The Flood

- Genesis 6:5- Every thought of every man only evil all the time
- Genesis 6:6- The Lord was grieved (kind of confusing) the sin that was happening was bad
- 6:7- The Judgement (keep in mind the time was set in verse 3)
- 6:8- The hope. There was one man. Noah.
- The ark
- 6:22- Noah builds the ark 510 feet long, five stories high, 75 wide
- 7:2- seven of every clean, two of every unclean
- It rains 40 days and 40 nights. How many 24 hour days was that?
- 7:18-24- global flood (some say local flood. Not true. Here is one reason)
- 8:20-22- God's covenant (second reason why local flood isn't accurate)
- 9: Be fruitful and multiply (repeats the original and first commandment)
- People are allowed to eat meat
- Capital punishment is instituted
- The rainbow- High jacked by our modern culture. A sign of God holding punishment. (Think about how cool this is. It is a physical sign, that isn't too common. When it appears, it's God's promise to you.)
- Types and Shadows: The Gospel: All have sinned. And because of their sin a judgement is coming. None will escape it. It is a judgement that will engulf the entire world. Yet, there is one way of escape. There is an ark, that will protect all who are obedient to enter. And that Ark is Christ. 2 Peter 3:4-7 (We saw the gospel in Adam and Eve, Cain and Abel, and now again. 3 times by Genesis 9.)

### The Tower of Babel:

- Most scholars agree that Japheth's children went toward Europe eventually. Shem Middle East. (Semites) Ham, Africa.
- The people didn't want to scatter and fill the earth.
- They also wanted to make a name for themselves.
- God confused their language and scattered them over the face of the whole earth...