

**Sunday:** January 18, 2026

**Series:** Jordan River Rules

**Sermon:** Part 1: Realize God Means for You to Move Forward

**Speaker:** John Inthof

**Scripture:** Joshua 1:1-5

## Worship

Listen to a Worship song (If you need suggestions, you can use one from the Small Group YouTube Playlist) or express something that you are thankful to God for.

## Welcome

Check In – How is everyone doing (good things, teaching applied, lessons learned, prayers answered.)

## Word

- Have you ever got lost driving? Where was it?
- Read Joshua 1:1-5
- With the death of Moses, Joshua begins a new stage of his life. What have been some of the significant stages of your life? How have you felt God guiding in those stages?
- Read Philippians 3:15. What can we learn about God's leading from this verse?
- Read: Psalm 37:23. How does God order our steps?
- What does Andy Stanley mean when he says, "direction, not intention, determines your destination. Small, consistent actions (increments) in a certain direction lead to a specific destination over time."?
- What does the promise of God, "never leaving or forsaking you" mean to you?
- What is something that you can practically apply from this lesson?

## Witness

- What is one step that you can take this week to reach someone who doesn't know Christ?

## Prayer

Pray that God will help you apply this lesson. Pray for any other requests you have.