## **HTC Groups**



Discussion Questions

Sermon Title: Deliver: To the Day (Celebration Sunday)Scripture: Exodus 12:33-42Date: March 24th, 2024Speaker Name: Justin Chandler

- 1. As you reflect on the last 3-6 months (or year), how are you celebrating (personally, spiritually, physically, financially, etc.)?
- 2. Celebration Sunday celebrates the testimonies of Harbor Trinity Church. How are you celebrating your growth, Harbor Trinity Church, or others' testimonies?
- 3. Israel receiving silver, gold, and clothing from the Egyptians (Exodus 12:35) fulfills God's promise to Moses at the burning bush (Exodus 3:22) and generations before to Abraham (Genesis 15:14). Does this change how you view God and His promises to you?
- 4. Jacob and his descendants entered Egypt as 70 people (Genesis 46:27). As they left, there were 600,000 men, not including women and children (Exodus 12:37). Many suggest 1.5-2.5 million people in this group, especially when considering "a mixed multitude" (Exodus 12:38) joining them. This fulfills God's promise to Abraham to make him "a great nation" (Genesis 12:2). What are your thoughts after hearing this? We can ask the same question: does this change how you view God and His promises to you?
- 5. "On that very day" (Exodus 12:41), God delivered Israel. God is never early; God is never late. God is always "on that very day." Are you waiting for "that very day"? How long have you been waiting? Let's take a break from our discussion and pray for each waiting person.
- 6. Imagine what it must have been like for the people of Israel to walk out of Egypt free. They have only known occupation, slavery, and increasing hardship. Now they are free. What must this have been like for them?
- 7. The freedom from bondage of the people of Israel is often used to describe the Christian experience. How are they similar? How are they different?
- 8. Before we close our discussion today, let's pray for Easter weekend at Harbor Trinity. For those who will return to church, those who will attend for the first time, and for all that God has in store for each of us.