

Date of Message: 5/9/21 (Mother's Day)

Series Title: Stand alone

Title of Message: What's a Mom to do?

Main Text: Joshua 2:8-21

Support Texts: Matthew 1:5, Hebrews 11:31, James 2:25

### **Connection Group Questions:**

#### **Opening up:**

**1) What Bible story or passage would you turn to for Mother's Day? (Proverbs 31 does not count!)**

#### **Digging in: Read Joshua 2:1-21, Hebrews 11:31**

- 1) What part of this story sticks out to you and why?**
- 2) Was Rahab justified in lying to save the lives of the spies? Why or why not?**
- 3) As you read the passage, what do you think made Rahab so intent on finding out about the God of Israel?**
- 4) What made the citizens of Jericho so afraid to go against the God of Israel? Is there any of that fear in North Platte or in Lincoln county now?**
- 5) What was it that made Rahab a good mom candidate for Boaz? What does this tell us about being a mom today?**

#### **Making it yours:**

- 1) What is your main takeaway from this passage? How can you apply it in your life today?**
- 2) How can my faith help me overcome my fears and have confidence that God is doing something supernatural in my life, and the lives of others?**

#### **Prayer Time:**

- 1) Pray for the opportunities to reach out to families in our neighborhoods with the love of Jesus in gospel hospitality.**
- 2) Pray for our mission team getting ready to go to Miami Florida to work with True Vine Christian Church— and for the Gambles as they finish up fund raising and get ready to move to Miami.**
- 3) Prayer for our small groups, our church, our community, and our nation.**