A weekly devotional created by a team of people at Adventure of Faith

## Introduction activity (for groups)

What are your favorite memories from the 4th of July?

**Real Talk:** This is a time to be authentic, with yourself and others. Share how you're doing with God personally and pray for one another.

God Encounters: Journal, Think about, or discuss with your group how you have encountered God in your life this week.

## **Read:** Genesis 6:1-9:17

What stands out to you?
Why was there a Flood? Why Noah and his family?
What is the hope for humanity?
What does the Noah story mean to you? For Christianity as a whole?

## Pray: Dear God,

Sometimes when I read the Bible, I am perplexed because I am trying to view everything through 21st century eyes. Please give me the hunger to dig deep into your word for better comprehension. Your message is timeless and can be applied to our lives today, just as it was centuries ago. How beautiful to see how interconnected the stories are and how they point to Jesus as the everlasting covenant through his perfect sacrifice as atonement for our sins. I love you, Lord!

Amen

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