

More Than Hearing Worksheet

Episode: ABaptismx2020

Text: Psalm 29

- 1 Ascribe to the Lord, O heavenly beings, ascribe to the Lord glory and strength.
- 2 Ascribe to the Lord the glory of his name; worship the Lord in holy splendor.
- 3 The voice of the Lord is over the waters; the God of glory thunders, the Lord, over mighty waters.
- 4 The voice of the Lord is powerful; the voice of the Lord is full of majesty.
- 5 The voice of the Lord breaks the cedars; the Lord breaks the cedars of Lebanon.
- 6 He makes Lebanon skip like a calf, and Sirion [*Mt. Hermon*] like a young wild ox.
- 7 The voice of the Lord flashes forth flames of fire.
- 8 The voice of the Lord shakes the wilderness; the Lord shakes the wilderness of Kadesh.
- 9 The voice of the Lord causes the oaks to whirl, and strips the forest bare; and in his temple all say, "Glory!"
- 10 The Lord sits enthroned over the flood; the Lord sits enthroned as king forever.
- 11 May the Lord give strength to his people! May the Lord bless his people with peace!

Math - S, Nature - B, People - I

Smarts	Images in the text/ interesting exegesis	Illustrations	SFX
Word - Verbal/Linguistic		Eugene Lowry, <i>The Homiletical Plot</i> . Lowry urges preachers to organize their sermons using a narrative plot. He used five exclamations to summarize it: Oops, Ugh, Aha, Whee, and Yeah. Find each element in this psalm and use that as a blueprint for a sermon or a litany.	Use this poem as a call to worship! The Hurricane Psalm by Silvia Purdie, Pastor at Cashmere PC in Christchurch NZ Also, Joan Stott's work at The Timeless Psalms has prayers and responsive readings.

Eye - Visual/Spatial			
Math - Logical/Mathematical MWD	<p>"In political terms, this psalm (especially when read alongside Isaiah 40) highlights the way in which people and rulers are both united and distinct. If a ruler is perfect, his strength will be given to his people; whatever praise they give him will not be lost, but will return to them and to their benefit. His good and theirs can be distinguished, but they are not separate." ~ Melissa Dow, <i>Political Theology</i></p>		<p>See the interesting exegesis for this sfx:</p> <p>Venn Diagrams</p> <p>Two circles = one labeled ruler/leader, one labeled people</p> <p>Write down attributes of good leadership and be certain that those that benefit the people overlap; eg. mercy, grace, compassion, etc.</p>
Body - Kinesthetic			
Musical D2			Rap?
Natural D2		<p>Do you know any meteorologists who can explain why some storms will rip your roof off and others gently water your garden? God has the capacity to do both....</p> <p>The geographical reality of Israel lends itself to thunderstorm more than earthquakes or tsunamis. The most powerful natural exhibition for the author of this Psalm would be a terrific thunderstorm.</p>	<p>People probably have experiences in their own personal histories of the aftermath of big powerful storms.</p> <p>High water marks Uprooted large trees Blackened areas where a fire went through</p>
People - Interpersonal MWD		<p>The images in this psalm recall big destructive storms - making the connection that God has this kind of power. This is something to be in awe of but God's power is also in the people who come by after everything calms</p>	

		down to help cut up fallen trees, and get rubbish picked up, and offer a place to stay if the electricity is out, etc.	
Self - Intrapersonal			