

Connect Group Notes

29 June 2026

On Sunday Jo continued our series 'New Time, New Place', speaking about Rahab. See Joshua 2:1-21

Rahab was an outsider in every sense of the word, living on the outer walls of Jericho and working as a prostitute.

The Bible does not sanitise who she was and her position in society, demonstrating the incredible grace and redemption of her story.

She was included in the lineage of Jesus, not only because of the grace she showed to the two Israelite spies whom she protected, but because of God's radical grace towards her.

Grace in real life

- Where do you see God's grace meeting you *in the middle of your actual life*, not the cleaned-up version of it?

Seeing God at work

- Rahab recognised God was already moving before the spies arrived. Where do you sense God already at work in your neighbourhood, workplace, or relationships?

Making room

- What is one practical way our group or church could make "space on the blanket" for people who feel on the margins?

Visible faith

- Rahab tied the scarlet cord as a visible sign of trust. What is one simple, visible step of faith you could take this week?

Slow transformation

- The sermon talked about grace working slowly, like water loosening the marks on the chapel floor. Where do you see God doing slow, patient transformation in your life right now?

Pray and Application

Ask the Lord to show you where He wants to take you out of your comfort zone, to include and encourage someone outside of your area of comfortability.