

Summary: Crossing the Jordan River into the Promised Land

Read Before: Deuteronomy 34; Joshua 1:1-9; 3; 4; 5:10, 11; Patriarchs and Prophets 469-486;
The Bible story V3 67-83

Aim: Crossing the Jordan River was the beginning of their new life in the Promised Land; Baptism symbolises the beginning of a new life with Jesus.

1. *What do I already know?* ☐ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

Look at some pictures or do Pictionary for the following situations:

Wedding; Welcome Home after being sick; new baby; graduation; First day of school etc.

Say: Each of these celebrations happens when something big changes in a person's life. Today we will find out about a big change in the Israelites lives.

2. *Tell story / give facts.* ☐ Listen / Talk ☒ See ☐ Do

Tell the Bible story using felts or book

3. *Review / how does it apply today?* ☐ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

Sanctuary Book: The Laver

Discuss: A person chooses to be Baptised to show that they want a new life with Jesus.

4. *What can this become / what can we do?* ☒ Listen / Talk ☐ See ☒ Do

You can still follow Jesus even if you haven't been baptised yet.

Whether we have been baptised or not, every day we need to choose to follow Jesus.

To Do List

Print:

- ☐ A MV colouring page for each child
- ☐ A program list for each teacher
- ☐ Laver.pdf
- ☐ Optional: Pictures.pdf

Have:

- ☐ Little mirrors (available from craft stores)
- ☐ Glue