

Notes to go with the 'Walking on Water' Sheets.

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'If You Want To Walk On Water, You've Got To Get Out Of The Boat' by John Ortberg

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We'd like to encourage you to use this in the following ways:

1. There is space for you to jot down notes during the Sunday sermon to help you remember and reflect on key points or verses during the week.
2. There are questions for use in your Homegroups. Or maybe you could get together with friends over coffee and look at the passage together, (Gillie is offering this on a Wednesday morning after Communion in the hall). You could also use these at home with your spouse or with a prayer partner.
3. There are also lots of things to try individually:
 - Remembering a key verse.
 - A prayer to use.
 - Extra Bible reading.
 - A thought or questions entitled 'Keeping Spiritually Fit.'
 - Some notes for your quiet time with God.
 - An 'Out and About' section to get us thinking about how we could 'live out' the teaching we've heard.
4. It's a vital part of being in our Church family that we encourage one another. So there is an idea each week on how we could do this.

This is an opportunity to 'step out' in faith.

Perhaps for the first time to:

- Look at the Bible with friends
- Have a special time just you and God through the week.
- Think about your gifting and what God is calling you to do.
- Pray with your spouse
- Accept the challenge to 'be an encourager'
- Allow God's word to change the way you see your week.

Whatever you try, we hope you will grow closer to God and to each other through this series. If you feel that you would like to discuss or have prayer ministry for anything God has highlighted for you during this time, Marilyn has very kindly offered to be available to meet with you. Give her a ring or speak to her on a Sunday. *Love Rachel*

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