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***From Here to There:
Lessons from the
Israelites' Journey
in the Wilderness***

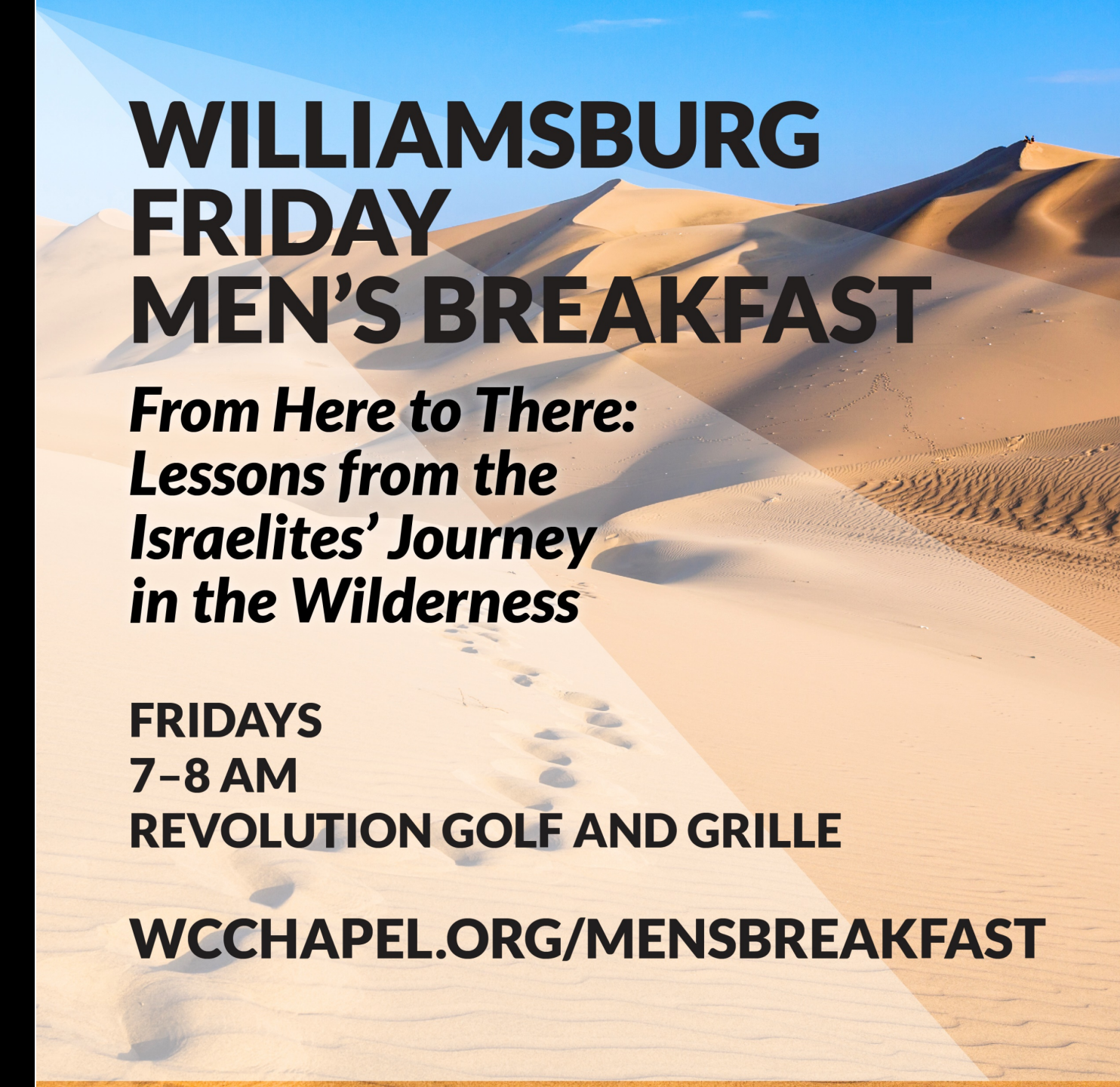
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7-8 AM
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October 8, 2021

WELCOME!

- **Grab some food and drink.**
- **Grab a seat.**
- **Make a new friend.**
- **We will start at 7:10 am.**



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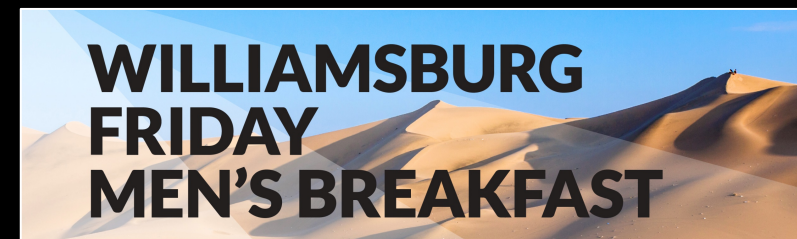
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- **Sign up for our
e-mail (clipboard)**
- **Text
MENSBREAKFAST
to 81411**

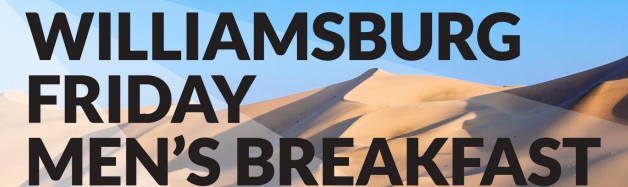
Interested in a MENTOR?

- **Fill out a card on your table**
OR
- **Talk to Hunter after the Men's Breakfast today!**




Overview of Our Journey

Theme: The journey from bondage to freedom points us to *Jesus*.



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A photograph of a vast desert landscape with rolling sand dunes under a clear blue sky. The dunes are golden-brown and have soft shadows cast across them. In the distance, a small figure of a person can be seen on a dune peak.

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#5 – Israelites at Mt. Sinai

Exodus 19:1-9, 16-20

Exodus 19: 1-4

¹On the third new moon after the people of Israel had gone out of the land of Egypt, on that day they came into the wilderness of Sinai. ²They set out from Rephidim and came into the wilderness of Sinai, and they encamped in the wilderness. There Israel encamped before the mountain, ³while Moses went up to God. The LORD called to him out of the mountain, saying, “Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the people of Israel: ⁴‘You yourselves have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself.

Exodus 19: 5-9

⁵ Now therefore, if you will indeed obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession among all peoples, for all the earth is mine; ⁶ and you shall be to me a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.’ These are the words that you shall speak to the people of Israel.” ⁷ So Moses came and called the elders of the people and set before them all these words that the LORD had commanded him. ⁸ All the people answered together and said, “All that the LORD has spoken we will do.” And Moses reported the words of the people to the LORD. ⁹ And the LORD said to Moses, “Behold, I am coming to you in a thick cloud, that the people may hear when I speak with you, and may also believe you forever.”

Exodus 19: 16-20

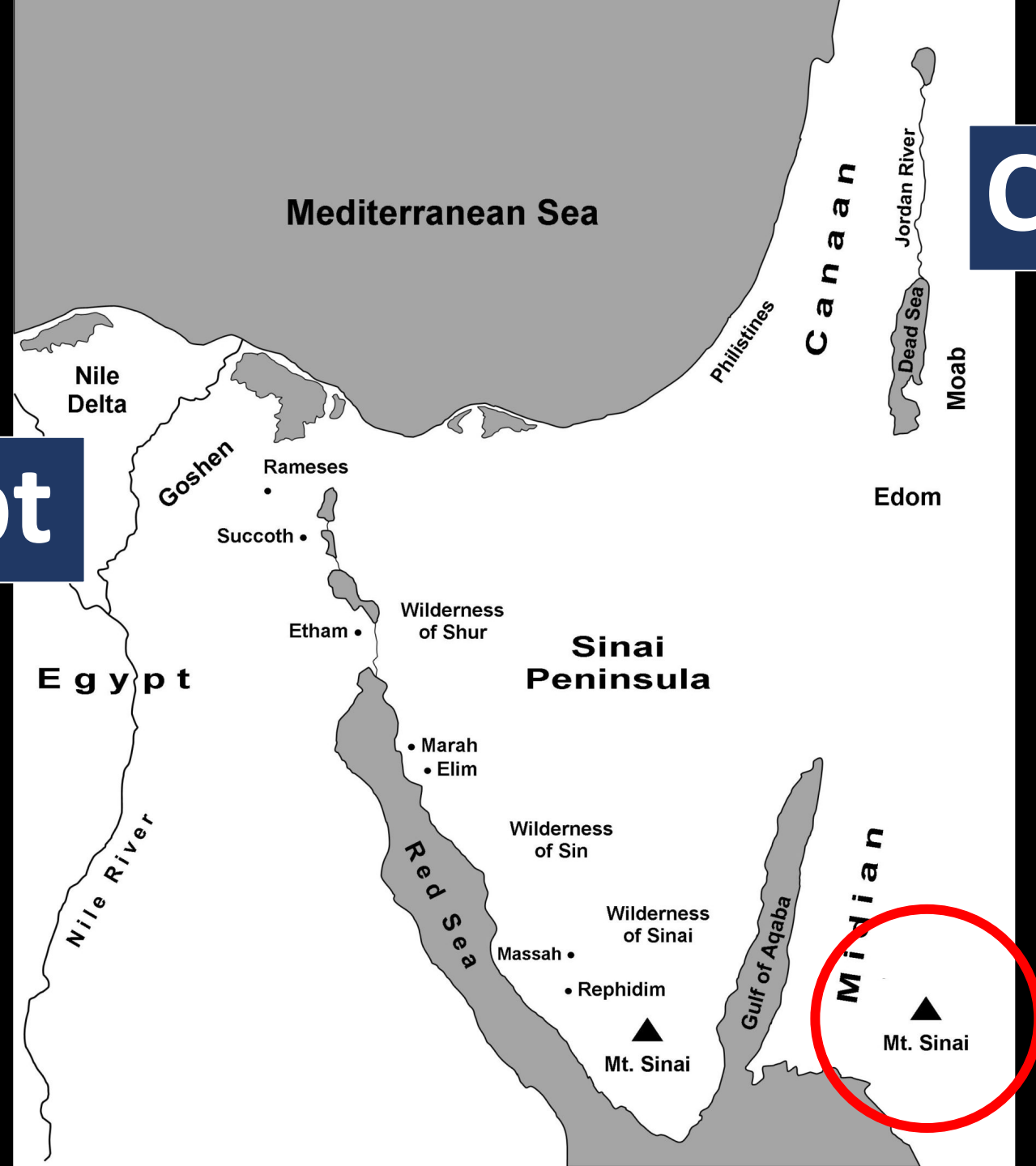
¹⁶ On the morning of the third day there were thunders and lightnings and a thick cloud on the mountain and a very loud trumpet blast, so that all the people in the camp trembled. ¹⁷ Then Moses brought the people out of the camp to meet God, and they took their stand at the foot of the mountain. ¹⁸ Now Mount Sinai was wrapped in smoke because the LORD had descended on it in fire. The smoke of it went up like the smoke of a kiln, and the whole mountain trembled greatly. ¹⁹ And as the sound of the trumpet grew louder and louder, Moses spoke, and God answered him in thunder. ²⁰ The LORD came down on Mount Sinai, to the top of the mountain. And the LORD called Moses to the top of the mountain, and Moses went up.

Structure for Exodus 19:1-9, 16-20


- 1. Geography/ background (v. 1-2)**
- 2. God rescued THEREFORE we obey (v. 3-9)**
- 3. God descended, Moses Ascended (v.16-20)**

Egypt

Canaan







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Saved For What?

- 1) To Serve and Worship God**
- 2) To be a Treasured Possession**
- 3) To be a Kingdom of Priests and a Holy Nation**

1) To Serve and Worship God

Exodus 8:1

“Thus says the LORD, ‘Let my people go, that they may serve me.’”

ABAD- to work, serve, or to worship

2) To be a Treasured Possession

Genesis 2:7 “Then the LORD God formed the man of dust from the ground and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life, and the man became a living creature.”

Genesis 12:3 “I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.”

3) To be a Kingdom of Priests and a Holy Nation

Priests: have access to God and represent God

Holy Nation: set apart

WE Are Saved

Romans 9:8 “This means that it is not the children of the flesh who are the children of God, but the children of the promise are counted as offspring.”

1 Peter 2:9 “But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.”

God Descends

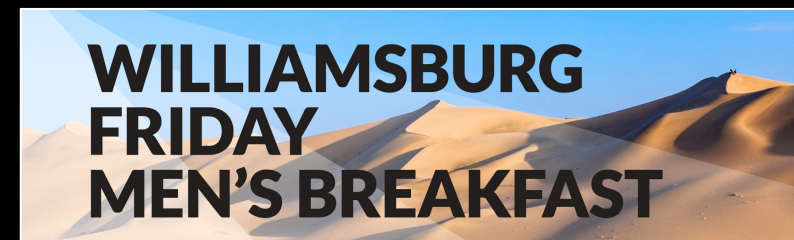
- Exodus 19:20 “²⁰ The LORD came down on Mount Sinai, to the top of the mountain. And the LORD called Moses to the top of the mountain, and Moses went up.”
- John 6:38 “³⁸ For I have come down from heaven, not to do my own will but the will of him who sent me.”
- Luke 16:7 “⁷ Nevertheless, I tell you the truth: it is to your advantage that I go away, for if I do not go away, the Helper will not come to you. But if I go, I will send him to you.”

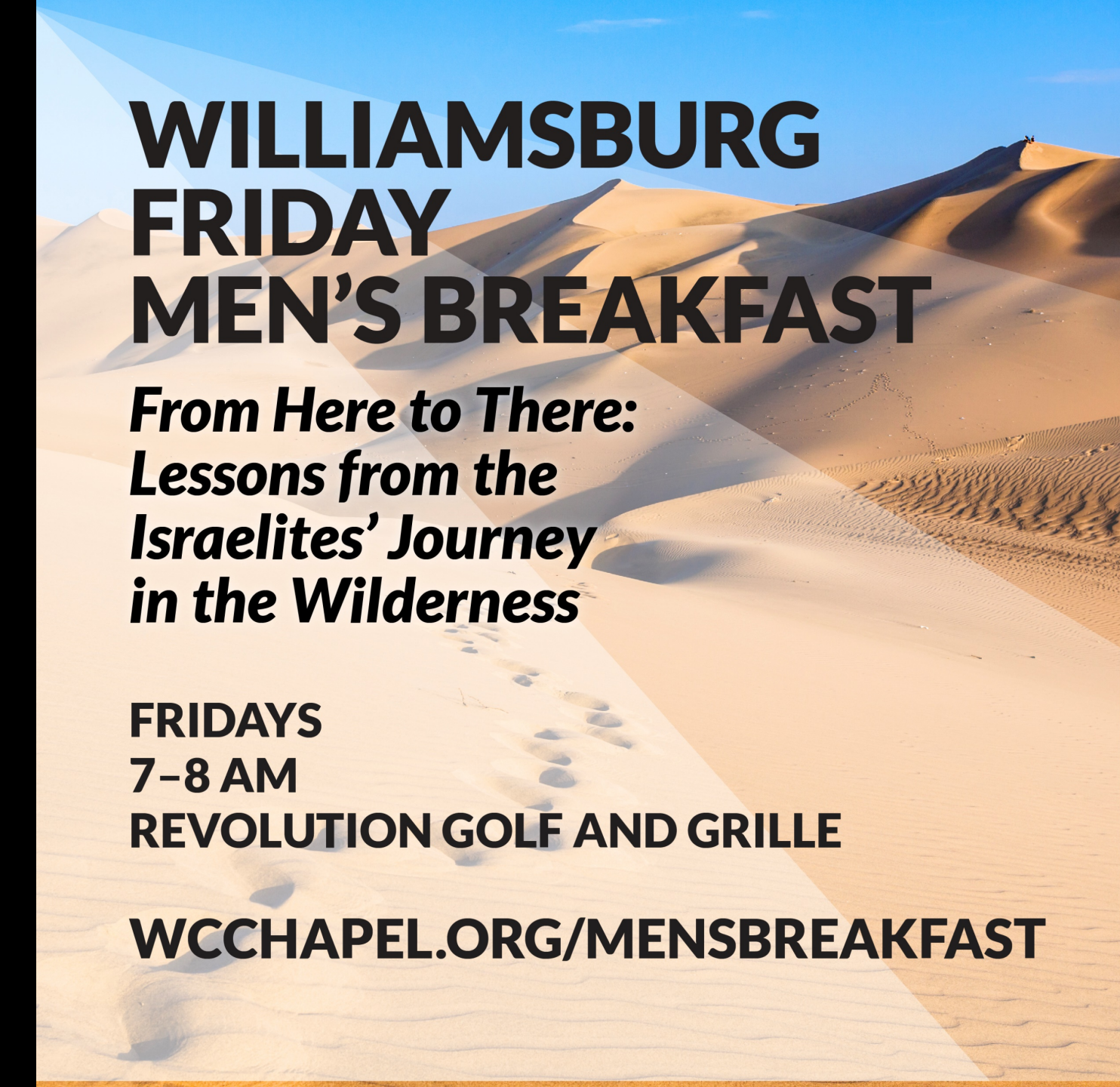
Conclusion

SALVATION IS FOR A REASON

God Descends- that we may be His treasured people- a Kingdom of priests and a Holy Nation

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Next Week:

- ***Exodus 20***
- **The Ten
Commandments**

Discussion Questions

1) Which is the hardest for you to apply in your life?

- *Serve and Worship God (or work for God)*
- *View yourself as a Treasured Possession*
- *Be a Priest and a Holy/ set apart person*

2) Where/how can you exercise the reasons for salvation in your life this week?

