

## New Ground: Taking New Ground Joshua 5-6

We all want success when it comes to life and the Christian life. How do we walk with God in enemy occupied territory?

### New Heart

- Devotion is often inconvenient
- Our Resistance reveals our Heart

Deuteronomy 10:16

Circumcise therefore the foreskin of your heart, and be no longer stubborn.

Deuteronomy 30:6

And the Lord your God will circumcise your heart and the heart of your offspring, so that you will love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul, that you may live.

Romans 8:3-4 (NIV)

<sup>3</sup>For what the law was powerless to do because it was weakened by the flesh, God did by sending his own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh to be a sin offering. And so he condemned sin in the flesh, <sup>4</sup>in order that the righteous requirement of the law might be fully met in us, who do not live according to the flesh but according to the Spirit.

### Continual Alignment

Romans 12:2 (ESV)

<sup>2</sup>Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.

### It's God's Victory

- God's Victories come in God's timing
- God's Victories are often surprising