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## Opening Hymn #617 Near to the Heart of God

#### Scripture Reading Proverbs 16:7-9

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#### Memory Verse Psalm 119:114

You are my hiding place and my shield; I hope in Your word.

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# Mission Moment





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## Hymn #615 The Sweetest Name of All

#### Prayer Requests

### Hymn #750 Peace Like a River





## A. One of only two books of the Bible named after a woman

mentioned once in the New Testament

Matthew 1:5

### C. Tradition has Samuel as the author

## D. It takes place during the time of the Judges

### II. Interpretive challenges

A. How could she have worshiped in the Tabernacle?

B. Was there anything immoral about Ruth and Boaz spending the night together before marriage? 3:1-18

C. Many decisions could be challenged v.1

# III. The disasters that set the book



## B. The death of the men in the family vv.3,5

### C. Naomi a widow in a foreign land

### IV. The Lord knows His people

#### A. No doubt, Naomi felt abandoned

## B. She felt cursed

# C. But God had other plans Proverbs 16:9

#### V. In your daily life

## A. Trust God to turn a curse into a blessing Nehemiah 13:2

#### B. Trust your plans to the Lord

C. Look to bring glory to God in every circumstance

## Hymn #106 Worthy, You Are Worthy

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