# **WARM-UP QUESTIONS:**

- (1) In what areas in your life would you like to see more freedom and victory in Christ?
- (2) In what areas have you already seen victory and freedom and can thank the Lord for His faithfulness?

READ: Exodus 14:10-15:21

**FOCUS:** True victory/freedom is possible by the grace of God, achieved by the power of God and produces praise to the glory of God.

### **OBSERVE:**

We can see in these passages that even when the Israelites expressed doubt and an ungrateful attitude toward God, God still showed His faithfulness. It is clear that God's follow through on His promises are not always based on our responses to those promises. God is faithful even when we are faithless. We also see that true victory is achieved by the power of God. His power was demonstrated when He parted the Red Sea for the Israelites and He brought them a leader/mediator known as Moses. It is essential to acknowledge that Christ became the mediator for all of us by the power of God. God brought freedom to His people so that He can get all the glory.

### REFLECT:

As you reflect on this passage and some of the sermon themes, can you identify moments in your life where God's grace and power were revealed? When you think of those moments, is it typical for you to point to your works as a main contributor to the victory you've experienced? If so, take a moment to meditate on 2 Timothy 2:13 and remind yourself of God's grace and power so that you can offer a shout of praise to Him.

## TAKE ACTION:

In order to truly acknowledge God's grace and power in your life, so you can praise Him, the first step is to put your trust in Him for your salvation. Surrender your life to Him and acknowledge that because of Christ's work on the cross, rather than your own, you have access to the Father and a life of freedom from darkness to light.

### PRAY:

Lord, we thank You that in You we not only have an assured victory but we can also experience true freedom that isn't temporary but eternal. We pray that You would continue Your great work in us and that You help us to see others experience victory and freedom, Amen!