Lesson 03 God’s Rescue Plan

Power Text
“For God did not appoint us to suffer wrath but to receive salvation through our Lord Jesus Christ.”
“Therefore encourage one another & build each other up, just as in fact you are doing” (1 Thessalonians 5:9, 11).

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Across

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6. [Thursday’s lesson] Read 2 Timothy 1:3. What two methods of encouraging others does this verse suggest to you? _____ of someone for whom you can pray, & share with them that God has a rescue plan for all of us.

7. FTWTF - Power Point

9. It didn’t have anything to do with the strength of the wood or how much _____ they had smeared on the bottom of the big boat. They were safe because God kept them that way.

10. Noah was not the only one trying to convince people to come into the ark. As we discussed last week, every person who walked up that _____ had to make a choice whether or not to get on board.

11. The next part of the story, the _____ part, we sometimes skim over. But that’s what our story is about this week. The ugly time. The time God followed through with what He said would happen.