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### **A very warm welcome****Sunday 2nd October 2022**

**What to Expect:**

Welcome - Tom Wright

Song - By Faith

Song - O Lord, My Rock and My Redeemer

Confession

Prayers - Suzie Normanton

Notices & Break

Song - See The Man

Reading - Christian Stuart

Sermon - Exodus 1:1-2:10, Chris Fishlock

Song - Our God Reigns

Final Words

**Children:** We’re committed to helping all ages know Jesus better so we run age-appropriate groups.
Speak to a staff member or email Mikey: mikey@snca.co.uk

**Photography and Filming:** Our service is being live streamed. You may feature if you’re in shot of the camera at the back. We may also take photos for our website and social media. Please speak to a steward if you would rather not feature.

**Notices**

**1. Welcome**. Especially if you are new! Please fill in a ‘tell me more’ contact card at the back.



**2. Wine tasting!** Sign up and invite your friends for an evening of wine tasting, cheese and a bible talk explaining what we're all about at St Nick's.

**Tuesday 1st November** at **St Nick’s church**.

Tickets: £10 Booking essential - scan the QR code or visit our website.

**3. Small Groups.** Please join us on **Wednesday** for our church family’s Small Group Bible study. Bring food to eat together from 6.15pm, Bible study in John’s Gospel **from 7pm**.

**4. Gospel at Work**. New to London? Find your nearest **Lunchtime Talk** by speaking to someone on the staff team or visiting <https://www.gospelatwork.org.uk/map>.

Talk Recordings & Info: www.stnickschurch.org.uk | Spotify ‘St Nick’s Church’

**Exodus: Know That I am the Lord (1) Exodus 1:1 - 2:10 Page 43**

**Introduction:**

1. **Background: God makes promises (1:1-7)**

Link with Genesis (God’s promise to Abraham

Many PEOPLE; into LAND; under good RULE & richly BLESSED)

1. **Foreground: The world rages against God’s promises (1:8-22)**
2. **Background: God keeps his promises (2:1-25)**

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**Application: Daily ‘healthy fear’ of a good & faithful God**

* Look at the midwives (1:15-21)

**Questions for discussion.**

1. In what ways do we see the world raging against God’s promises today?
2. What would a healthy fear of this Lord God look like on Monday morning as you walk into your school / office?