The Curse of God **Deuteronomy 28:15-68**March 22, 2020

1.	The context of the covenantal curses (4:25-31; 30:1-6)
2.	The curses themselves (28:15-68)
3.	The significance of the curses (New Testament)

Next week: Deuteronomy 29

Discussion Questions

The following questions are designed to be used by parents in discussing the sermon with their children, but can be used by anyone in discussing the sermon with others:

- 1. What did Deuteronomy promise would happen after Israel suffered the curses of the covenant?
- 2. The Lord would curse Israel if they did something. What was that?
- 3. Describe some of the curses.
- 4. What do you think is the worst part of the curses? Why?
- 5. When did Israel suffer the curses? How were they fulfilled?
- 6. Are most of the Old Testament Israelites in heaven? Why?
- 7. When the New Testament warns that the unbeliever will "perish" and suffer "destruction," what does this mean?
- 8. What has God done to save people from His curse?
- 9. Who is saved from God's curse?

Going Deeper:

These questions are designed for the believer to use in prayer with his/her Lord, and in discussion with brothers and sisters in the Lord:

- 1. Why is it important to keep 4:25-31 and 30:1-6 in mind as we study today's text?
- 2. What does today's text teach us about God?
- 3. What are the main ideas in this passage?
- 4. What emotional response is this passage meant to produce in us? Why?
- 5. Why is it important to keep this passage in mind as you read the OT prophets?
- 6. What is the significance of this passage for us today?
- 7. How does this passage help us understand the gospel?