



Book of Ruth
Hope in a time of chaos

Ruth 1:1-22

Introduction: This book is named after a Moabite woman who was the great grandmother of King David. It was written about 1010 BC during the time of the Judges.

I. Running on empty.

- A. Famine in the land. Ruth 1:1-2
B. Death in the family. Ruth 1:3-5

II. A word of hope.

- A. God provides food for Bethlehem (house of food). Ruth 1:6
B. Naomi heads home. Ruth 1:6-15

III. Ruth shows her quality

- A. Ruth commits herself to Naomi. Ruth 1:16-17
B. Ruth commits herself to the God of Naomi (and Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob). Ruth 1:16-17
C. Naomi reveals her brokenness. (Mara-because the Lord has made my life bitter. 1:20-21)

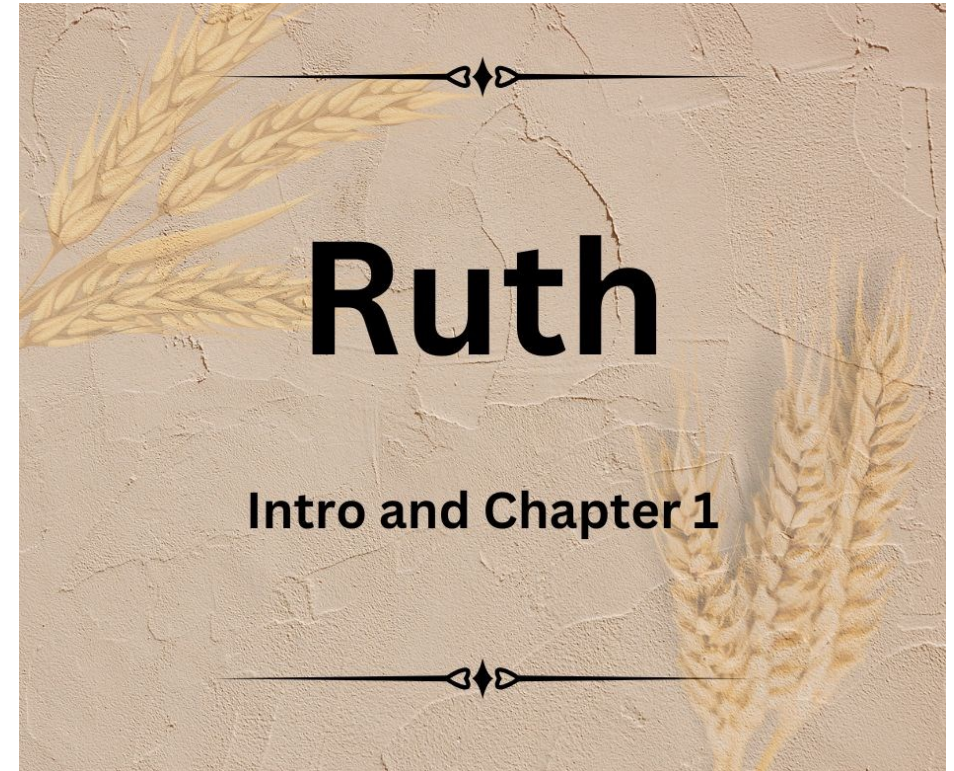
Conclusion: In the book of Ruth, we see devotion and loyalty exemplified by Ruth in beautiful ways. Where in your life are you "empty" and in need of God's "fullness"? Who around you is struggling and in need of encouragement?

(prayed over by the elders)

Prayer Requests

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Helping people take the next step in their relationship with God.

Welcome!

We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone is available today. Our volunteers are Christine Pearson and Margaret Polanco-Rodriguez.

Bob Hocker will lead us in prayer.

Pastor Ron Raymer will be leading the service today: Ruth-Intro and Chapter 1

The worship team will be leading the following songs: Good Good Father, Graves to Gardens, Way Maker, and Great I Am.

Thank you for spending your morning with us!

See Church Center App for our Event Calendar

10:00am Sunday Worship Service



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Announcements

Second Offering for February is for GCF

A vital source of funding for the majority of Alliance gospel-advancing work in the U.S. and throughout the world. These funds are put to immediate use and provide support to staff, workers, and their ministries here in The States and across the globe. This fund provides flexibility for The Alliance to adapt and meet critical needs when they arise. Every international worker across all four of our structures (aXcess, CAMA, Envision, marketplace ministries) benefits from this kind of gift.

Harvest of Hope

We are collecting for HOH again. We collect Chef Boyardee, Ramen noodles, chicken packets, snacks, and soups WITH meat. A child in need will receive one bag of food every Friday during the school year. In that bag they receive 2 entrees, 2 breakfast items, 1 vegetable, 1 fruit and 2 snacks along with a special item on holidays. They are packing approximately 110 meals each week. Please help these kids on our community. This is the perfect outreach for those who have no time or have physical restrictions to serve our community.

Missions & Outreach

Then the Righteous will answer him, Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink?"

2024 Sojourners Dates:

April 13th, June 8th, September 14th, November 9th-

Grab the meals scheduled from the welcome table so you can be prepared. Please see Chris Pearson with any questions

Youth Group Sponsored Event

Super Bowl Party on **February 11th at 6:30 pm** - This event is open to everyone from the church to attend. Bring a side dish to share and enjoy fellowship, fun, and the bowl game, of course!

Soup and Scoop



Our favorite fellowship, the Soup and Scoop, is not to be missed! Mark your calendars for **February 17th at 5 PM**. YOU bring the soups/stews/chowders; we provide the sundaes! Please sign up at the welcome table or use the QR Code.

Looking Ahead

If you are interested in being baptized on Easter Sunday, please fill out the connection card.



Name: _____

E-Mail: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Change in contact information

Please tell us if you're

a 1st Time Guest

a Returning Guest

a Regular Attendee

NEXT Steps:

I would like to be a follower of Jesus.

I am interested in becoming a member Greenview Alliance Church.

I recommitted my life to Jesus today

I am interested in being baptized

I am interested in having my baby dedicated