1. Joseph, the hated brother
   a) What were some reasons why Joseph’s older brothers hated him? Genesis 37:2-4
   b) What behavior by Joseph increased his brothers’ hatred? Genesis 37:5
   c) Why did Joseph share the content of his dreams with his brothers and father? Genesis 37:6-11
   d) How did Joseph’s older brothers decide to express their hatred? Genesis 37:12-27
   e) What lessons can we learn from their failure?
   f) Where do you see the LORD at work even in this bad situation? Genesis 37:28, 36 (Romans 8:28)

2. Joseph, a slave in Egypt
   a) How did the LORD bless Joseph after he arrived as a slave in Egypt? Genesis 39:1-6a
   b) What great challenge did Joseph face while seeking to honor the LORD and faithfully serve his master Potiphar? Genesis 39:6b-7,10
   c) What lesson can we learn from Joseph’s response to his master’s wife who was sexually harassing him? Genesis 39:8-9, 11-12
   d) What can we learn from Potiphar’s reactions to his wife’s false accusations? Genesis 39:16-20
   e) Why didn’t the LORD intervene when Joseph was falsely accused and cast into prison?

3. Joseph, the falsely accused prisoner
   a) How did the LORD honor Joseph even during his time of imprisonment? Genesis 39:21-23
   b) What spiritual gift did the LORD give to Joseph during his time as a prisoner? Genesis 40:7-8
   c) What request did Joseph make to the chief butler and what was the outcome? Genesis 40:14-15,23
   d) Share a time when deliverance didn’t come as soon as you had hoped. How did this delay impact you?

4. Joseph, interpreter of Pharaoh’s dreams
   a) How did the LORD bring about Joseph’s deliverance from bondage in Egypt? Genesis 41:1-8
   b) Why did Pharoah call for a Hebrew prisoner to interpret his dream? Genesis 41:9-14
   c) What can we learn about Joseph from his response to Pharaoh’s request? Genesis 41:15-16, 25, 28
   d) What surprises you about Joseph’s counsel to the Pharoah? Genesis 41:33-36
   e) What motivated the Pharoah to make such a bold administrative decision, appointing Joseph to a position of senior leadership in Egypt? Genesis 41:37-41
   f) What lessons can we learn from Joseph’s journey?

O clap your hands – Psalm 47:1-2,5-7