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Chapter 9 – A Free People

**Moses led God’s people through the wilderness. – Pages 108-109**

1.What did God provide the Israelites in the wilderness to show His faithfulness? (#5) p.118

God provided food (manna) and drink.

2. What did the Israelites learn from their experience in the wilderness? (#9-10) p. 118

They learned to trust in God and believe in His love for us.

**God gave His people the law. P. 110-111**

3. God gave th Ten Commandments to Moses, the laws of God’s covenant .

4. Why did God give His people the law? (#6) p. 118 He gave His people the law so they would keep their covenant relationship with God.

5. What do we celebrate at every Mass? We celebrate the new covenant between God & his people sealed with the blood of Jesus.

**The people built God a dwelling place. P. 112-113**

6. When Moses came down from the mountain, why was he angry?The people had gone against God’s commandment by building an idol.

7. Why could the Israelites resume their journey with confidence? They had renewed trust in the tent and the ark of the covenant were reminders that God was with them. (Add) The ark of the covenant held the tablets of the Ten Commandments.

**God led His people toward the promised land. P. 114-115**

8. Who guided the Israelites **toward** the promised land? God guided the Israelites.

9. How was God’s presence made known to His people during their journey to the promised land? (#8) p. 118 God’s presence was made known by a huge cloud.

10. Joshua led God’s people into Canaan. God’s promise would be fulfilled.