

# COVENANTS *And The* CHRIST

## **ICEBREAKER**

Find out who has moved the most and/or lived in the most places and who has moved the least.

## **CONTEXT**

We are learning about the Abrahamic Covenant this week. This is a covenant that God made with Abraham and was unconditional in nature.

## **PASSAGE**

Multiple passages are referenced. During group discussion, read: Genesis 15:1-21, 22:1-18  
*If you are unfamiliar with Abraham, also read Genesis 12:1-9, 17:15-22, 21:1-7*

## **DISCUSS**

- What stood out to you about the story of Abraham and God's covenant with him? Why?
- Only God passed between the offerings, making Him responsible for keeping the covenant. Why is that important?
- In Abraham, we see another example of God using an unlikely person. What does that mean to you?
- God called Abraham to leave his life of comfort to follow Him. Have you ever pursued personal comfort over God's plan for your life? Why?

## **2. How will you apply this to your life?**

- What has the Holy Spirit brought to mind for you to apply going forward?
- In Genesis 22, we see Abraham clinging to God's promise, willing to walk by faith as he prepares to sacrifice his son. Is there anything you are clinging to more than God's promise that you need to release to Him?

## **3. How will you pass it on to someone?**

- If someone asked you to explain why the story of Abraham is in the Bible, what would you tell them? Why?
- Genesis 12:3 says, "in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." We know this promise to Abraham was fulfilled through Jesus Christ. We also know that we are called as believers to be a blessing to others. Are you actively pursuing blessing others in your life?
- Are you breaking down barriers to the gospel through your actions and speech?
- Are you putting sin to death so you can rightly image God to the world?

## **NEXT STEPS**

Ask God to give you eyes to see how He wants you to bless others this week. Ask God to give you lips to speak the truth in love. Ask God to show you where you need to put sin to death so you can reach those around you with the gospel.



# COVENANTS *And The* CHRIST

## **ICEBREAKER**

Find out who has moved the most and/or lived in the most places and who has moved the least.

## **CONTEXT**

We are learning about the Abrahamic Covenant this week. This is a covenant that God made with Abraham and was unconditional in nature.

## **PASSAGE**

Multiple passages are referenced. During group discussion, read: Genesis 15:1-21, 22:1-18

*If you are unfamiliar with Abraham, also read Genesis 12:1-9, 17:15-22, 21:1-7*

## **DISCUSS**

- What stood out to you about the story of Abraham and God's covenant with him? Why?
- Only God passed between the offerings, making Him responsible for keeping the covenant. Why is that important?
- In Abraham, we see another example of God using an unlikely person. What does that mean to you?
- God called Abraham to leave his life of comfort to follow Him. Have you ever pursued personal comfort over God's plan for your life? Why?

## **2. How will you apply this to your life?**

- What has the Holy Spirit brought to mind for you to apply going forward?
- In Genesis 22, we see Abraham clinging to God's promise, willing to walk by faith as he prepares to sacrifice his son. Is there anything you are clinging to more than God's promise that you need to release to Him?

## **3. How will you pass it on to someone?**

- If someone asked you to explain why the story of Abraham is in the Bible, what would you tell them? Why?
- Genesis 12:3 says, "in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed." We know this promise to Abraham was fulfilled through Jesus Christ. We also know that we are called as believers to be a blessing to others. Are you actively pursuing blessing others in your life?
- Are you breaking down barriers to the gospel through your actions and speech?
- Are you putting sin to death so you can rightly image God to the world?

## **NEXT STEPS**

Ask God to give you eyes to see how He wants you to bless others this week. Ask God to give you lips to speak the truth in love. Ask God to show you where you need to put sin to death so you can reach those around you with the gospel.