

WEEK: THREE

TOPIC: THE PROMISED KINGDOM

WE WILL: LOOK AT THE STORY SO FAR

I WILL: SEE GOD'S ETERNAL PLAN

The Disciples' Story

NOTES:

The story so far

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God's eternal plan

Ephesians 1:10

...a plan for the fullness of time, to unite all things in him, things in heaven and things on earth. (ESV)

NO UNBELIEF

made him waver concerning the promise of God, but he great strong in his faith as he gave glory to God, fully convinced that God was able to do what he had promised. That is why his faith was "counted to him as righteousness."

-The Apostle Paul

Why the Fall?	W	/h	y t	he	Fa	113	?
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 for evil
 over it.

He will	evil and
	creation.

NOTES:

o Genesis 9:15

Light in the darkness		
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Grace		
Promise of a	·	
Genesis 3:15		* .
		Covenant - a solemn commitment, sealed in blood, given with a sign.
 Romans 16:20 		
Protection of Noah's	·	
Genesis 6:8		
Genesis 6:18		

NOTES:

The covenant with Abraham

Genesis 11

•	Tower of		
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•	Judgment by		of nations
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Promises to Abraham

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Genesis 12:1-3

- - o Genesis 12:2: 17:7



Genesis 12:1-3

The Call of Abram

[1] Now the LORD said to
Abram, "Go from your country
and your kindred and your
father's house to the land that
I will show you. [2] And I will
make of you a great nation,
and I will bless you and make
your name great, so that you
will be a blessing. [3] I will
bless those who bless you,
and him who dishonors you I
will curse, and in you all the
families of the earth shall be
blessed." (ESV)

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	0	Genesis 12:7; 17:8
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NOTES:

The Kingdom of God

o Genesis 12:3

- Abraham was justified by ______.
 - o Genesis 15:6

Kingdom of God	Pattern of the Kingdom
God's People.	
God's Place.	
God's Rule and Blessing.	

HOMEWORK AND REFLECTION: READ GENESIS 17:1-8 AND ANSWER THE QUESTIONS BELOW.

What is a covenant? (vv. 2, 3, 7) God confirms his covenant by repeating his promises. List them under these headings:

People
Land
Blessing
Put Abraham's response to God (Genesis 15:6) in your own words.

REFLECTION

How is that a model for us (see Galatians 3:6-9)
What would have been hard for Abraham?
When is it hard for us to believe God's gospel promises?
Why is it easier for us than Abraham?