



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Looking for a way to serve? We're putting together a team to help set the auditorium back up after Daddy Daughter Date Night on Saturday morning (2/28). Should only take an hour. Let the office know if you're available!

RELATIONAL CONNECT & CHECK-IN

If God asked you to give up one LIFE-ESSENTIAL (in your opinion:) thing, what would it be?

GROUP DISCUSSION

Read Hebrews 11:17-19. Share anything that immediately resonates w/ you. Then go read Abraham and Isaac's story: Genesis 22.

1. Why do you think God tests His people?
2. What stands out to you about Abraham's immediate response in Genesis 22:3? Do you think you'd respond the same way?
3. The sermon said real faith isn't proven by excitement at the beginning but by follow-through at the end. Where do you see that in this story? Spiritually-speaking, where do you find it hardest to "see it through"?
4. God asked Abraham to give us the thing most-important to him, his son, Isaac. Ready to be really-honest? What's your "Isaac"? What would you do; How would you feel if God asked you to give it up?
5. Compare Genesis 22:12 with Exodus 20:3. How might testing reveal hidden idols? Why would God test something good rather than something sinful?
6. Read James 1:13. How is this different than what God was doing to Abraham? Is there a difference between testing and tempting? How?
7. Abraham names the place "The Lord Will Provide". Why does he focus on God's provision rather than his own obedience? What does that teach us about how we should interpret our victories?
8. What else is the Holy Spirit speaking to you this week?

ACTION STEP

Practice "Faith Mapping" this week. Take 15-20 minutes to reflect on your life timeline. Write down 5-10 specific moments where you clearly saw God provide, protect, or guide you. Thank Him for each one.

Then ask: "Lord, where are You asking me to trust You right now?"

Lastly: How can we pray as a group for you as a group? Be honest...