

Faith and Foretelling!

February 6, 2022 – Genesis 22:1-13
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Why Is This Account in Genesis 22 Important?

1. It teaches us that God desires His people to walk by faith above all else.
2. It foreshadows the love of God through His own Son, Jesus Christ.

Where can we experience God's love?

1. Through the death of Jesus Christ!
2. Through the difficulties we face in this life!
3. Through daily delighting in Christ!

Discussion Questions:

1. It is clear from the text in Genesis 22 that God was testing Abraham's faith. What value is there in God testing the faith of His people?
2. How has your faith been tested recently? What did you learn from it?
3. In what ways have you experienced God's love in your life?
4. Can you identify times that you find difficult to experience God's love? Why do you think you find it difficult?
5. What are some ways you can delight in the Lord daily? How can you be more intentional about delighting in God?
6. What is a take-away for you from the message or this passage?

Next Steps:

1. If you would like to become a follower of Jesus, please let us know. Pastor Jon will be in the room behind the Welcome Center after the service.
2. If you are interested in baptism, let Pastor Jon know in person or email him at pj@fbclowell.org.
3. Consider joining an elective. They meet most Sundays at 11am.
4. Read the Bible with us to know God and respond to Him! Below is our current schedule.

February 2022 Two Year Bible Reading Plan			
Week 1 <i>Starting Feb. 7</i>	Week 2 <i>Starting Feb. 14</i>	Week 3 <i>Starting Feb. 21</i>	Week 4 <i>Starting Feb. 28</i>
Day 1: Gen. 49-50	Day 1: Exod. 9-10	Day 1: Exod. 18-19	Day 1: Exod. 28
Day 2: Exod. 1-3	Day 2: Exod. 11-12	Day 2: Exod. 20-21	Day 2: Exod. 29
Day 3: Exod. 4	Day 3: Exod. 13	Day 3: Exod. 22-23	Day 3: Exod. 30-31
Day 4: Exod. 5-7	Day 4: Exod. 14-15	Day 4: Exod. 24-25	Day 4: Exod. 32
Day 5: Exod. 8	Day 5: Exod. 16-17	Day 5: Exod. 26-27	Day 5: Exod. 33
9 You shall not bow down to them or worship them; for I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, punishing the children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation of those who hate me, 10 but showing love to a thousand generations of those who love me and keep my commandments. 11 You shall not misuse the name of the LORD your God, for the LORD will not hold anyone guiltless who misuses his name. -Deut. 5:9-11			

What was your big take-a-way from the message this morning?