

ILLUMINATED by Holy Spirit  
SATURATED by God's Word  
COMMUNICATED by God's Teacher

# GENESIS

## SMALL GROUP GUIDE

### **THE BIG IDEA**

We see the first revival recorded in the Bible. The people prepare themselves and God is worshiped. God once again confirms the promise to Jacob, the same promise that He gave to Abraham and Isaac.

**Sunday, December 11, 2022**

**THE BIBLE Genesis 35**

### **QUESTIONS**

1. Vs. 1 - the call - what do you think is the significance of Bethel? See Genesis 28:19; 31:13
2. Vs.2-5 - the preparation - What steps does God call us to take before we approach Him? Look at the example of communion - I Corinthians 11:23-32, especially vs. 28
3. Vs 6-13 - the worship and the blessing - God reconfirms the promise that He made to Abraham and Isaac - see Genesis 12:1-3; 26:1-5; God "talked" with Jacob. How does God "talk" to us today?
4. Vs. 14,15 - Jacob builds a pillar to remember what God has done for him; We don't construct "pillars" nowadays to remember, but what are some ways/things that you use to help you remember what God has done in your life?
5. Vs. 16-29 - family issues - How significant was it that Jacob had reconciled with Esau prior to Isaac's death? See Esau's promise in Genesis 27:41; How important is "immediate obedience"?

### **FURTHER STUDY NUGGETS**

1. Look up Psalm 66:18, II Timothy 2:19, | John 1:9 and see how God tells us to prepare ourselves to approach Him.
2. All families have issues. How do you/can you purpose to respond to the issues that come up in your family in a way that will honor God?

### **NOTES**

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