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# NOW *More Than* EVER

JOURNEY WITH US AS WE STEP INTO THE FUTURE TOGETHER!

# PUTTING YOUR FAITH INTO ACTION

## LET'S SOW SEED INTO THE GROUND!

### 01. Make a Pledge

**Commitment Cards**  
Available March 14

### 02. Share Your Story

Tell us what God is doing in your life in this season:  
[future.newnorth.church](https://future.newnorth.church)

### 03. Cultivate Thankfulness

**What are you thankful for in this season?** Let's celebrate all that God has done in us and through us!

## TOOLS FOR THE JOURNEY

### Bible Study

One of the primary ways you can take this journey with us is by walking through the 7-week Bible Study found in the following pages. We are expecting God to not only speak to our church collectively, but to us as individuals in the area of generosity.

**We invite you on a journey with us.** Let's open our hearts, dream big dreams and prepare to receive all that God has for us as we step into the future together!

### Chew On It!

When you meet with your groups, be sure to fill in the blanks! Our reflection questions are not only great in your small groups, but even around the dinner table! Finally, we suggest memorizing scripture together as a family! Let's aim our faith and our focus over the next 7 weeks around this - seeking the Lord, hearing His voice and taking the next steps of obedience!



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to take your next step today and  
join in the conversation today!

**NOW MORE THAN EVER:**

**A STUDY ON  
THE LIFE OF ABRAHAM**

## WEEK 04

**DATE**  
**March 7**

**TEXT**  
**Genesis 17**  
**(Covenant of circumcision)**

## THEMES

Covenant, promises, faith

## BIG IDEA

Walking with God leads to many pleasant surprises

## QUESTIONS

- What does God say to Abram, why is that important?
- God changes Abram's name to Abraham, what is significant about that?
- What instructions did God give Abraham?
- What caused Abraham to laugh? Why?
- What did it look like for Abraham to walk with God?
- What does it mean to you?

## PRAYER

Prayerfully consider some ways God may want to surprise you.

### VERSE TO MEMORIZE

4 "As for me, this is my covenant with you: You will be the father of many nations. 5 No longer will you be called Abram; your name will be Abraham, for I have made you a father of many nations. **Genesis 17:4-5**

**SONG**



*"Yes and Amen"*  
Chris Tomlin

#### ACTIVITY

Using a whiteboard, poster board, or piece of paper, make a list of all the ways God has blessed your family. Seeing these all in a list (or even in pictures!) can serve as a great reminder of all the wonderful blessings we have (or will have) by drawing near to the Lord! **Bonus:** Think about ideas and specific ways you can use what you are blessed with to love and serve God and others!

## ☐ FAMILY DISCIPLESHIP

Have one person read the following passage out loud:

### Genesis 17:1-8

### Reflect on how walking with God can have pleasant surprises

- What are some ways that loving and following God can make your life better?
- Are there any parts of our life that can improve if you were following God even more closely?

## Pray

Have someone in the family pray to thank God for all the wonderful things He has blessed us with. Ask God to help you find specific ways you can be more obedient to Him.

**WATCH THIS  
WEEK'S VIDEO:**



## NOTES



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