## Small Group Questions for Jan. 15, 2017

Series: E38. Understanding Gods story, their story and your story

**Ice breaker:** Who likes the snow? Who doesn't like the snow? What are a couple of good events that have happened in your life because of the snow?

## Sermon Questions:

- 1. God's story opens with God calling Abram to make the sacrifice of leaving a comfortable life: homeland, friends, family and steady income. Describe an experience when God has called you to do something similar. What was required of you to obey His instructions? What were the results?
- 2. God chose Abraham and his descendants to represent Him to others who did not yet know God. What parallels can you draw between Israel and the Church?
- 3. Abraham serves as the example of justification by faith. Faith could be described as "trust in action based on God's revelation." Identify acts which demonstrate Abraham's faith. What demonstrations of faith can you identify in your own life?
- 4. Abraham and Sarah waited 25 years for God to fulfill His promise of a child. Have you waited for a long period of time for God to act in a given situation? How might this example serve to encourage you and others?
- 5. Mt. Moriah means, 'The Lord will provide.' How do you need the Lord to provide? And how may the group pray for you?