

Jacob GrandParenting

Text: Genesis 48

Purpose: We come to the end of our series. Jacob has had a full life and God has been faithful to him along the way. Now a grandfather, Jacob reflects on his life and passes off his blessing to Joseph and his sons.

Opening Question: *Best memory you've had from a grandparent?*

Read and Discuss: Genesis 48

1. Jacob sees his grandsons for the first time. What's his response? When it comes to your family, what are you thankful for?
2. How does Jacob respond as he comes to the end of his life? What does Jacob do?
3. As you reflect on your life, what are some highlights of what God has done in your life?
4. In verses 15-16 Jacob blesses his grandsons. When you think about your family, what kind of blessing or prayer do you want to give to them?
5. How can you invest in the younger generations of your family?

Calvary Season of Prayer: Quietness

The Lord says, "In repentance and rest is your salvation. In quietness and trust is your strength." Isaiah 30:15

- In this season of Quietness, please take a few minutes with your group to be still and quietly listen for God to speak.
- Take a few minutes together and pray...
 - that God would strengthen our congregation in transition
 - that God would work beneath the surface of our circumstances
 - that the good news of Jesus would be consistently and effectively communicated
 - that love would be a hallmark of our community of Christ-followers