



NEIGHBORHOOD GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Date: November 3, 2024

Sermon Series: Knowing God by Name

Sermon Title: El Shaddai: God All-sufficient

Scripture: Genesis 17:1-27

Speaker: Dr. Ron Jones

1. Read Genesis 17:1-27. What are your first impressions of the text? In what way does this time in Abram's life mark a milestone?
2. What is the meaning of God's name *El Shaddai*? Why do you think God revealed this name to Abram at this time?
3. Read Genesis 17:3-6 again. Why did God change Abram's name to Abraham? How do you think Abraham thought about Himself from that moment forward?
4. Read Genesis 17:7-8 again. Describe God's promise to Abraham and his descendants. Why is God's covenant with Israel important to New Testament believers in Jesus today?
5. How is Jesus asking you to make a greater commitment to Him? What will you do about it?