

GOD IS.

A SERIES ON THE CHARACTER OF GOD

Ice Breaker: Who in this world loves you the most or who do you love the most in this world?

Read: Genesis 22:1-24; Romans 8:32

Discussion Questions:

- Big Question: What do we do when we don't understand what God is doing?
 - When you hear the name Jehovah Jireh (The Lord Will Provide), what comes to mind?
- Jehovah Jireh Sees What We Cannot See (Genesis 22:1-5)
 - What did God ask Abraham to do? How do you think Abraham felt when God gave him this command?
 - What stands out to you about Abraham's response and obedience?
 - Why do you think God sometimes allows us to walk through situations we do not fully understand?
- Jehovah Jireh Provides What We Need (Genesis 22:6-12)
 - What question did Isaac ask Abraham? How did Abraham respond to Isaac?
 - How do you think you would have responded (or reacted)?
 - What does this passage reveal about Abraham's faith in God's provision?
 - Why is it sometimes difficult to believe God will provide?
 - In what ways has God provided for you spiritually, emotionally, physically, or financially?
 - How does obedience position us to experience God's provision?
- Jehovah Jireh's Greatest Provision is Jesus (Genesis 22:13-14)
 - Why do you think God provided the ram at the exact moment it was needed?
 - How does this story point us to God's plan of salvation through Jesus?
 - Why is Jesus the greatest provision God has ever given?
 - How does understanding God's sacrifice for us deepen our trust in Him?
- Closing Thoughts (Romans 8:32)
 - Is there an area where you have been trying to meet your own needs without trusting God?
 - What practical step can you take this week to trust God over yourself or others?
 - How can you or your small group become part of God's provision for someone else?
 - What is one prayer request related to trusting God's provision that you would like the group to pray for?

