THE JOURNEY OF FAITH

“THE CALL TO A LIFE OF FAITH”

GENESIS 12:1-9

1. GOD CALLS US, BY FAITH, TO LEAVE THE OLD LIFE BEHIND. (V 1) (2 COR 5:17)

* FAITH IS A RESPONSE. (HEB 11:8)
* FAITH IS A REWARD. (HEB 11:9)

1. GOD CALLS US, BY FAITH, GOD TO BLESS OTHER PEOPLE. (VV. 2-3)

* GOD BLESSES US SO THAT WE CAN BLESS OTHERS.
* OUR “FAITH” BLESSING IS A BLESSING FOR EVERYONE.

1. GOD CALLS US, BY FAITH, TO A JOURNEY THAT OFTEN DOESN’T MAKE SENSE. (VV. 4-5) (PVBS 14:12)

* GOD’S PROMISES PROBABLY DIDN’T MAKE SENSE TO ABRAM.
* GOD’S DIRECTIONS PROBABLY DIDN’T MAKE SENSE TO ABRAM. (PVBS 3:5-6)

1. GOD CALLS US, BY FAITH, TO A LIFESTYLE OF CONTINUAL FAITH. (VV. 6-9)

* GOD NOT ONLY WANTS US TO BE SAVED BY FAITH, BUT TO WALK BY FAITH.
* EVERY STEP OF OUR “JOURNEY” REQUIRES FAITH.