

# Micro-Church Bible Engagement

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#### Look Back

- What are you thankful for this week?
- How have you seen God at work in your life this week?
- How did you live out what we discovered last week?

### Look Up

#### Learn the Story

- Someone reads the Bible story.
- Someone else retells the passage by memory. Others can fill in what is missing.

#### Dig deeper with these questions

- Context Establish the setting and time of the story. What happened right before and after your story? Do you need to define or explain any words for clarity?
- Characters Take time to get to know each character/person in the story. What can you learn about them?
- Conversations What did they say and who did they say it to?
- Choices What choices did each person make? What influenced their choices? Could they have made other choices?
- Consequences What consequences, either good or bad, happened as a result of the choices or decisions that were made ? What was the impact or result?

### Look Forward

This section provides a plan of action. It is important to follow through on the steps you feel God is asking you to take. Create your own questions in this section. If you need some help to get started, here are some general question you could use:

- Which character in the story did you most identify with and why?
- What did you learn about God/people?
- Did you see Satan or evil at work in your story? What did you learn about him?
- If this story is true, how should it change the way you live?
- How did God use this story to speak to you?
- What will you do this week in response to what God is saying to you?
- Who else needs to hear this story?

What is causing you stress? Who needs our help? Close in prayer.

Adapted from Discovery Bible Study (David Watson) and The Story Revolution (Diane Brask)

## Stories to Explore

- 1. God Creates Genesis 1:1-25
- 2. God Creates Man and Woman Genesis 2:4-24
- 3. Man and Woman Eat the Fruit Genesis 3:1-13
- 4. God's Curses Genesis 3:14-24
- 5. God Regrets His Creation Genesis 6:5-8
- 6. God Saves Noah and His Family Genesis 6:9 8:14
- 7. God's Covenant with Noah Genesis 8:15 -9:17
- 8. God's Covenant with Abram Genesis 12:1-8, 15:1-6, 17:1-7
- 9. Abraham Gives His Son as an Offering Genesis 22:1-19
- 10. God Spares His People Exodus 12:1-28
- 11. The Commands of God Exodus 20:1-21
- 12. The Sin Offering Leviticus 4:1-35
- 13. God's Righteous Servant Isaiah 53
- 14. Jesus is Born Luke 1:26-38, 2:1-20
- 15. Jesus is Baptized Matthew 3; John 1:29-34
- 16. Jesus is Tested Matthew 4:1-11
- 17. Jesus and the Religious Leader John 3:1-21
- 18. Jesus and the Samaritan Woman John 4:1-26, 39-42
- 19. Jesus and the Paralyzed Man Luke 5:17-26
- 20. Jesus Calms the Storm Mark 4:35-41
- 21. Jesus and the Man with Evil Spirits Mark 5:1-20
- 22. Jesus Raises a Man from the Dead John 11:1-44
- 23. Jesus Talks about His Betrayal and the Covenant Matthew 26:17-30
- 24. Jesus is Betrayed and Faces Trial John 18:1-19:16
- 25. Jesus is Crucified Luke 23:32-56
- 26. Jesus is Resurrected Luke 24:1-35
- 27. Jesus Appears to the Disciples and Ascends to Heaven Luke 24:36-53
- 28. Enter into the Kingdom God John 3:1-21