

# Sermon Discussion Questions

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**Topic:** Forward in Faith

**Scripture:** Genesis 15; Genesis 22; Exodus 3–4

## Opening:

Open your time in prayer by thanking God for His faithfulness, asking for trust when outcomes are unclear, and praying for hearts that rest in His promises.

## Give Background & Context:

Throughout Scripture, God calls His people to trust His promises long before they see results. From Abraham to Moses, faith often grows in seasons of waiting, uncertainty, and testing.

- Read Genesis 15:1–6
  - What makes Abram’s faith difficult in this moment?
  - Why does God give assurance instead of instructions here?
  - What does it mean to “believe the Lord” when circumstances haven’t changed?
- Read Genesis 22:1–14
  - Why do you think God tests Abraham without explaining the outcome?
  - How does this passage show faith as action rooted in trust, not understanding?
  - What does “The Lord will provide” mean in light of obedience?
- Read Exodus 3:10–12; 4:10–12
  - What fears or insecurities does Moses express?
  - How does God respond to Moses’ sense of inadequacy?
  - Why is God’s presence more important than our ability?
- Reflection Questions
  - What promise of God do you need to trust more deeply right now, even without seeing the outcome?