

VISION

Life Springs is a community where all people can experience and live a life of meaning and purpose through a deeply committed relationship with Jesus Christ.

CORE VALUES

- † Every LIFE is created by God and is of infinite worth.
Mark 8:36
- † God has a unique purpose for every LIFE.
Psalms 139:13-16 and Ephesians 2:10
- † God desires a transformed LIFE lived in a relationship with Jesus.
Romans 12:2
- † Every LIFE is to have an impact on other LIVES for the Kingdom of God.
Matthew 28:19-20

Life Springs Church

a new United Methodist Congregation

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Order of Worship and Praise

August 31, 2008

Prelude

Welcome

Prayer

*There is Joy in the Lord
Holy is the Lord
Apart From You*

*Children dismissed for Kid's Club

Message "Abram's Journey" Genesis 13—15

Song of Invitation

Amazed

Receiving our Tithes & Offerings

Doxology

Step by Step

Announcements and Benediction

Women's Fellowship (UMW) All women are invited to attend a Women's Fellowship meeting on Wednesday, September 3. The meeting will take place in the fellowship hall at 7:00pm. It is a time to gather, fellowship, and study.

Sermon Notes

Genesis 13—15
"Abram's Journey"

Chapter 13

1. The land could not support both **Abram** and **Lot**.
2. Abram gives **Lot** the **Choice**.
3. Lot's chosen land looked **better**, but there were **hidden problems**.
4. God **reaffirms** the **covenant** with Abram.
5. A covenant is **an agreement between two parties that requires a commitment or action from both parties**.

Chapter 14

1. Lot is **captured** during the war in the Valley of Siddim.
2. Abram **defeats** the four Kings and **recovers** Lot and his family.
3. Abram is **blessed**, so he **worships** God and **gives** a tenth.

Chapter 15

1. God **reaffirms** the covenant with Abram.
2. Abram asks **how**?
3. God offers a **symbol of the covenant**.

Take—Aways

1. Are we **greedy, selfish**, or willing to take **advantage of** people for our own gain?
2. What appears on the surface to be **great** may not **be**!
3. Do we **give to God** out of our worship?
4. Do we **really believe** that God can and will do the impossible?
5. What symbols of God's covenant with you do you have?

Cross, Baptism, ...