

Covenant Groups

With a Person of Peace & Oikos

LOOKING BACK

Connect Questions

- What are you thankful for?
- How has God been at work in your life?
- What do you need prayer for?

Pray for those needs with thanksgiving for the Lord's work in people's lives

LOOKING UP

Study the Covenants (1 Lesson/meeting)

- In the Bible God makes many covenants of promise (Ephesians 2:12).
- A covenant is an agreement with promises and obligations.

What do you learn about God and his promises in these 6 lessons?

(Remember Numbers 23:19 & 2 Corinthians 1:20)

Adam	Covenant of Life or Works (Shorter Catechism #12) READ or TELL Genesis 2:1-3,9,15-17; 3:1-15; Re-Tell the story to one another <i>What do you learn about God? What do you learn about man?</i> <i>What promise did God make? How has God kept his promise? (John 10:10; Romans 5:12-21)</i>
Noah	Covenant with the earth. READ or TELL Genesis 6:1-8; 17-22; 8:20-9:1; Re-Tell the story to one another <i>What do you learn about God? What do you learn about man?</i> <i>What promise did God make? How has God kept his promise? (John 12:47; 2 Peter 3:9-13)</i>
Abraham	Covenant with the nations READ or TELL Genesis 12:1-3; 17:1-7; 22:1-18; Re-Tell the story to one another <i>What do you learn about God? What do you learn about man?</i> <i>What promise did God make? How has God kept his promise? (Romans 4:13-18; Galatians 3:6-9,16)</i>
Moses	Covenant with Israel READ or TELL Exodus 19:1-15, 20:1-18; Deut. 29:1-13; Re-Tell the story to one another <i>What do you learn about God? What do you learn about man?</i> <i>What promise did God make? How has God kept his promise? (Galatians 3:10-14; Hebrews 9:18-22)</i>
David	Covenant of the Kingdom: READ or TELL 2 Samuel 7:1-16; Acts 2:29-36; Re-Tell the story to one another <i>What do you learn about God? What do you learn about man?</i> <i>What promise did God make? How has God kept his promise? (Ephesians 1:20-23; Philippians 2:5-11)</i>
The Church (God's people for all time)	New Covenant and the Covenant of Grace (Shorter Catechism #20) READ or TELL Luke 22:14-20; Revelation 21:1-5. Re-Tell the story to one another <i>What do you learn about God? What do you learn about man?</i> <i>What promise did God make? How has God kept his promise? (Hebrews 8:6; 12:24; 13:20)</i>

Each time you meet you can find a natural way to:

- **Point to Christ:** When you finish each lesson point them to Jesus Christ as the one who keeps the covenant on our behalf.
- **Call to Christ:** At anytime when they have understanding, call them to repent of breaking God's covenant and law (sin) and believe the covenant promises which are fulfilled in the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ (the gospel of the kingdom).

LOOKING FORWARD

Ask these practical questions to encourage faith working through obedience:

- How can we help one another in our group?
- Who else (outside of our group) can we show the love of Christ?
- Who can we tell this good news and welcome into our group?

Pray for the Lord's blessing to send you out with the good news