

# Small Groups

## DISCUSSION GUIDE

“BLESSED BEYOND WORDS,” PASTOR BLACKBURN – NOVEMBER 24, 2024

### AS THE DISCUSSION LEADER, THERE ARE A FEW THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND:

- Pray for your group discussion time!
- Choose a few questions from the guide that will generate the most discussion in your group.

### GETTING TO KNOW ME (ICEBREAKER):

- What are you most thankful for this Thanksgiving?

### DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

- Have someone read 2 Chronicles 7:13-20.
- Are there things in your life that you can be grateful for, even in hard times?
- The message explains that God’s love is unconditional, but His blessings are conditional. How do you understand the difference between God’s love and His blessings?
- In 2 Chronicles 1:7-11, Solomon asked for wisdom rather than wealth or power. What does it mean to prioritize spiritual things over material things? How can we apply this principle in our daily lives?
- Do you believe that all blessings come from God? Are there specific blessings in your life that you feel you’ve received because you have pursued spiritual things or sought God first?
- The message highlights that God’s blessing is perpetual, meaning it’s continual and constant. How does the idea of God’s continuous presence and blessing encourage you in your spiritual walk?
- Job expressed unwavering faith, even in suffering (Job 13:15). How does this challenge us to remain faithful when life is difficult or uncertain?
- What does it mean to have a consistent attitude of worship? How can we maintain an attitude of worship, not just in church but in our everyday lives?
- 2 Chronicles 7:19-20 warns of losing God’s blessing if we turn away to worship other gods. What are some “other gods” (idols) in our lives today that could cause us to miss God’s blessings?
- The message talks about how God has a great plan and potential for our lives, but distractions can lead us to miss it. How can we stay focused on God’s will and avoid distractions that pull us away?
- What is one practical step you can take this week to seek God’s blessings more intentionally (e.g., seeking wisdom like Solomon, maintaining worship in your daily life, staying focused on God’s will)?

### PRAY FOR OUR MISSIONARIES:

- Peter & Jana Kozic - *Czech Republic*
- Nick & Marilyn Krake (Abigail, Joshua) – *Palau*

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- Salvation Army Bell Ringing 98 N Publix – If you want to help, sign up at the Salvation Army table in the lobby
- Sunday, December 8: Christmas Town will be held in Cheyenne Territory. Entry is free, and Santa Bucks will be available for food.