

## Helping God Bring in His Kingdom

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### WARM UP

What's something new you've learned or experienced recently?

### COMING UP

[GRACEPOLARIS.ORG/CALENDAR](http://GRACEPOLARIS.ORG/CALENDAR)

**Spring Work Day** Saturday, May 5, 8:00 a.m.–12:00 p.m., ECC

**Celebration Concert & Reception for Randy & Jane Kettering** Sunday, May 6, 4:00–5:30 p.m., WC auditorium & FC commons

**A Night of Prayer for the Muslim World** Thursday, May 10, 7:00 p.m., Youth Center

### WITNESS

- On your white board, list the names of people in your sphere of influence you're praying will come to know Jesus.
- Share any progress/updates. Pray together for God to use you and your Grace Group to influence these people for Jesus.

### EXPLORE

- 1 What is something fresh, curious, or insightful that caught your attention from Genesis 27 and Sunday's sermon?
- 2 Who do you associate most with: Isaac, Rebekah, Jacob, or Esau? Explain.
- 3 List all the familial dysfunction and conflict you see in Genesis 27. What are the positive counterpart dynamics to each dysfunction? How can we foster those positive characteristics?
- 4 What are some of the generational defaults (good or bad), patterns, or shortcomings that you are susceptible to? What are some practical ways you or others can break sinful familial cycles in your/their life?
- 5 What promised blessings of God do you long for with great anticipation? Are there blessings you have forfeited or are currently forfeiting because of your choices? What changes are needed in your life?
- 6 What is one thing you learned about God in this passage? Where is God and how does He work in the midst of our chaos and even failure?
- 7 What other questions do you have from this passage?

### PRAY

Pray for a teachable heart before the Lord this week.