

“Blessed to be a Blessing: The need to live missionally”

Genesis 12:1-3, Unlocking the Old Testament

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Now the LORD said to Abram, “Go from your country and your kindred and your father’s house to the land that I will show you. ² I will make of you a great nation, and I will bless you, and make your name great, so that you will be a blessing. ³ I will bless those who bless you, and the one who curses you I will curse; and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.”

1. God is on mission: Missio Dei

2. We are blessed to be a blessing to others

Living Missional: Taking a posture of being sent into contexts outside of church for the purpose of exhibiting the Kingdom of God (i.e. the rule and reign of God.)

3. Living missionally is not easy or comfortable

Where has God sent you? - block party, meet neighbors, people at work you can come alongside, invite people over or out to dinner.

Resources: *The Tangible Kingdom* by Hugh Halter and Matt Smey

The Tangible Kingdom Primer (small group material) by Hugh Halter and Matt Smey