## **BE BOLD**

# Week 1: April 11th & 14th - Uncharted Territory

## BE BOLD - Commit to giving God your first and your best

#### ABRAHAM - The father of our faith

**Hebrews 11:6 -** And it is impossible to please God without faith. Anyone who wants to come to him must believe that God exists and that he rewards those who sincerely seek him.

### Without faith it is IMPOSSIBLE to please God

**Genesis 12:1-4 -** 1 The Lord had said to Abram, "Leave your native country, your relatives, and your father's family, and go to the land that I will show you. 2 I will make you into a great nation. I will bless you and make you famous, and you will be a blessing to others. 3 I will bless those who bless you and curse those who treat you with contempt. All the families on earth will be blessed through you. 4 So Abram departed as the Lord had instructed, and Lot went with him. Abram was seventy-five years old when he left Haran.

### Will you BOLDLY trust God?

**Proverbs 3:5-6 -** 5 Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. 6 Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take.

**Psalm 37:23 -** The Lord directs the steps of the godly. He delights in every detail of their lives.

We can have a great vision, but God won't reward us for being excited about it; He will reward us for doing something about it

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James 2:21-24 - 21 Don't you remember that our ancestor Abraham was shown to be right with God by his actions when he offered his son Isaac on the altar? 22 You see, his faith and his actions worked together. His actions made his faith complete. 23 And so it happened just as the Scriptures say: "Abraham believed God, and God counted him as righteous because of his faith." He was even called the friend of God. 24 So you see, we are shown to be right with God by what we do, not by faith alone.

God doesn't ever ask you to give what you don't have, but He can't use what you won't give

God wants our first and he wants our best

Will you Be Bold?

#### **3 BOLD MOVES:**

- 1. What will you BOLDLY give?
- 2. Who will you BOLDLY invite?
- 3. How will you BOLDLY serve?