



Series | Named By God
Sermon | Renamed By Promise
Genesis 17:1-21

Sermon Outline

1. Covenant Maker
2. Father of Many Nations
3. She Shall Become Nations

Pre-Sermon Questions: If you had to change your name, what new name would you choose? Why?

Reflection Questions

1. Why is God's name/character so important to our own identity?
2. How can God call us to respond and obey without this becoming a performance or a covenant based on our works?
3. Jeff said most of our identity comes from the future. How do you see that in Abraham's story and renaming?
4. Jeff said more of our identity is from what God will do than from what hasn't happened yet. How do you see that in Sarah's story and renaming?
5. Why does God name Isaac (He Laughs) after the failure of his parents? Why is this a very hopeful thing?