

# sermon outline

When we look closely, we see God doing something “more” in the life of Abraham than what meets the eye.

More is seen in the extraordinary (Genesis 23:1-4)

Draw a picture

More is seen in the mundane (Genesis 23:5-16; Hebrews 11:8-16)

Draw a picture

More will be seen in our future (Genesis 23:17-20; Romans 8:28-30)

Draw a picture

August 2, 2020

The  
of  
life  
blessing

*Dear Parents: We provide these Kids Bulletins to help our children engage and respond in the worship service. Please help your child follow along with the Order of Service. Use your finger to track the words of the readings. Encourage your child to participate in the songs. During the sermon, allow your child to use the space provided to draw pictures, to help him/her think about the Bible concepts. Use this bulletin in any way that helps both you and your child to worship God together!*

# order of service

## Gathered by God

 Call to Worship: Revelation 21:3-4  
And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying,  
“Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man.  
He will dwell with them, and they will be his  
people, and God himself will be with them as their  
God. He will wipe away every tear from their eyes,  
and death shall be no more, neither shall there be  
mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the  
former things have passed away.”

 Song of Praise  
*Behold Our God*

 Prayer of Adoration

## Renewed by God through Grace

 Confession of Sin: Psalm 42:11  
Why are you cast down, O my soul, and why are  
you in turmoil within me? Hope in God; for I shall  
again praise him, my salvation and my God.

 Declaration of Grace: Psalm 43:3-4  
Send out your light and your truth; let them lead  
me; let them bring me to your holy hill and to your  
dwelling! Then I will go to the altar of God, to God  
my exceeding joy, and I will praise you with the  
lyre, O God, my God.

 Song of Renewal and Gratitude  
*The Goodness of Jesus*

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## Set Apart by God

Children's Message: New City Catechism

**Question 16:** What is sin?

**Answer:** Sin is rejecting or ignoring God in the world  
he created, rebelling against him by living without  
reference to him, not being or doing what he requires  
in his law—resulting in our death and the disintegration  
of all creation.

**1 John 3:4** - Everyone who makes a practice of sinning  
also practices lawlessness; sin is lawlessness.

 Offering

 Sermon: Genesis 23

 The Lord's Supper (8am service only)

Profession of Faith: The Apostle's Creed

## Sent by God

 Song of Response  
*Christ Our Hope in Life and Death*

 Blessing