

# **Lomax Temple A.M.E. Zion Church Sunday School**

## **Topic: "The Value of a Life"**

**June 15, 2025 – Genesis 22:1-14 (NRSV)**

**Sunday School 9:15 A.M. – 8 minutes per section**  
**5 minutes General Discussion**

1. Read Gen. 22:1-3; A) Within this passage explain how Abraham displayed a readiness and anxiousness to respond to the divine call. B) Review the following scripts and explain what the bible instructs regarding child sacrifices: Lev. 18:21; Jer. 7:30-34 and Eze. 20:31. C) Do you always trust and obey those in authority over you? Explain.
2. Read Gen. 22: 4-8; A) Should we practice any live sacrifices today? Explain. B) Explain the difference between polytheism; monotheism and tell which one relates to the Christian faith. C) Define Yahweh.
3. Read Gen. 22: 9-11; A) What does "proving one's faith through testing mean to you? B) Review Heb. 11:17-19 and relate it to this passage. C) In your opinion tell why Isaac did not resist!
4. Read Gen. 22: 12-14; A) God asks Abraham to demonstrate his trust through a willingness to offer his son to God. How can you show trust in God by giving or sustaining life? B) A sacrifice is an act of worship. Name three things you can sacrifice to worship God. C) Measure your level of obedience to God's leading in your life. How do we size up? What do we need to change in our lives to increase our obedience level?

### **Lesson Application: True or False**

- 1\_\_\_ The Law of Moses required that Abraham sacrifice his son.
- 2\_\_\_ Abraham tried to talk God out of the request.
- 3\_\_\_ Abraham's servants assisted in the construction of the altar.
- 4\_\_\_ Abraham told Isaac that God would provide a ram for a burnt offering.
- 5\_\_\_ Abraham did not bind Isaac before placing him on the altar.
- 6\_\_\_ Through a burning bush, God spoke to Abraham regarding the sacrifice of Isaac.
- 7\_\_\_ Abraham named the location "God Gives Us Calm."

### **Homework: Worksheet: "Abraham Makes an Offering"**