

Cell Notes

Tom Shaw: Sunday 9 May

'Born to Bless'

On Sunday, Tom led us through the passage Genesis 12: 1-3 where we heard about the outrageous blessing that Jacob received and realising that's exactly what God is like with us!

- 1) What effect does it have on your personal walk with God when you see yourself in Jacob; as a man who doesn't deserve God's outrageous blessing.
- 2) Read Genesis 12: 1-3 again. Tom made the point here that we are being blessed so that we will be a blessing in return. In what ways do you think you are naturally a blessing to the world around you and what ways do you think you could grow in being a blessing to the world around you (relatives; work colleagues etc.)
- 3) As a cell can you think of any ways you can practically bless the city? For example going out to feed the homeless; getting involved in community events in your local towns and villages.
- 4) Following on from question three, in what ways do you think having our own church building could help us facilitate being a blessing to the people of Canterbury. Dream big; what could a potential new church building being used for to impact Canterbury on beyond for Jesus!