Sermon Series: "Making A Difference"

Message Summary: We have spent weeks looking at Abraham's life from his call to leave his homeland, we have seen his background, we have seen his mistakes, we have looked in depth at his flaws, but we have also seen his faith. And, we have seen God's faithfulness to him. And I guess the greatest thing we come away with isn't really how great Abraham was but how great a God Abraham served. Today, we now come to Abraham's last breath and subsequent burial gaining encouragement and instruction for facing our own mortality.

Twilight Years of a Saint Genesis 25:1-11

- 1. Remarried Life. v.1
- 2. Renewed Life vv.2-4
- 3. Responsible Life vv.5,6
- 4. Reviewed Life vv.7-11

LifeGroup Questions: All LifeGroups are on Summer Break until 9/8/19

BEGIN IT (5min) – Time spent in praise and opening prayer.

OPEN IT (10min) – Who is one of your most interesting elderly friends??

EXPLORE IT (60min) – Read Genesis 25:1-11 and review Sunday's sermon outline together as a group. Stop at each point allowing people to share their additional comments or notes taken while listening to the sermon. Now answer these questions:

- 1. How does topic of growing old interest you?
- 2. What new insights does this message give you about growing older and the character of God?
- 3. What truths in this message give you security about age and death?
- 4. What promise are you waiting for after this life on earth?

APPLY IT (15min) – How has this message added to your understanding of God and your relationship? How will you apply this new understanding to your life?