Women of the Bible

Fall Woman's Life Discussion Questions
Message 1

Allow time to read the Scripture, support your answers from the text, and discuss how its truth should shape your lives.
Ask yourself: "What does the Scripture say that supports my answer?"

1. Read Exodus 1:15-21. What helped the midwives obey God when Pharaoh told them to do something wrong? Is there a place in your own life where fear of what someone might think or do is making it hard to obey God?

2. Read 1 Samuel 1:9-18, 26-28. What changed in Hannah before her circumstances changed? What can we learn from her prayers and actions about bringing something painful to the Lord and trusting Him with how it turns out?

3. Read Luke 1:38-45. What do Mary's words and Elizabeth's encouragement show us about believing what God has said? Where do you need to take Him at His word in your own life right now?

4. Read Luke 2:36-38 and 4:38-39. How did Anna and Peter's mother-in-law serve the Lord in their different circumstances? As you think about your life right now, what opportunities has He given you to serve Him?

5. Read Luke 7:11-17. What do you notice about Jesus' compassion and power in the way He cares for this widow? How can knowing Him this way help you in your own sorrow and in caring for someone else who is hurting?

6. Read Luke 7:36-50. What does Jesus' story about the two debtors teach us about forgiveness and love? As you remember how much you need His grace, how might that deepen your gratitude to Him and change the way you treat others?