**GENESIS | AMEN Bible Study 2019-20**

**Living by Faith Not by Sight**

***Genesis 13***

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**Scripture Introduction**

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**I. Open Hand (1-11)**

1. **Guilt leads to repentance**
2. **Repentance leads to freedom**

**II. Hidden Dangers (12-13)**

1. **Ignoring God’s Word brings blindness**
2. **Seeking God’s Word brings sight**

**III. Boundless Blessings (14-18)**

1. **The promise of real significance**
2. **The grace that expels self-trust**

**Conclusion**

**Discussion Questions**

1. Lives with an open hand: What experiences/circumstances from your past (both of your own unfaithfulness and of God’s faithfulness) can help you to live with an open hand now? What promises for the future does God give that can help you to live with an open hand now?

2. Avoids hidden dangers: How does James 4:8-10 direct us when ill-advised decisions have humbled us and showed us our need for repentance?

3. Experiences boundless blessings: At what point was Abram finally in a position to receive the Lord’s blessings? In what ways can you practically put-off self-trust and put on trust in God’s guidance and provision?