

FALL SEASON SESSION 2 THE CITY OF THE GREAT KING
JERUSALEM IN GENESIS

THE PAST, PRESENT, & FUTURE SIGNIFICANCE OF JERUSALEM

Session Summary

The name Jerusalem appears in the Bible later than most people realize. However, foundational moments take place in the holy city from the start of God's story. Today, we will look at some of the key Jerusalem moments in the book of Genesis.

KEY TERMS

Melchi-Zedek

A Hebrew name meaning *my righteous king*. This is how to pronounce Melchizedek's name in Hebrew.

Yerushalayim

A combination of two Hebrew words – shalom, which means peace, and yireh which means provision or see.
This is the Hebrew word for Jerusalem.

Shalem

This is the Hebrew word used to refer to Jerusalem in Genesis 14. The word means wholeness and is related to the word *shalom*.

Moriah

This is the term Abraham used to refer to Jerusalem in Genesis 22. Specifically, *Moriah* refers to the mountain where Abraham was told to offer Isaac.

BUT WAIT, THERE'S MORE...

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