

**LifeGroup Questions for the week of March 5, 2017**

**"Invitation to Faith Through Giving: The Widow of Zarephath" 1 Kings 17:8-24 - Will Stevens**

1. Will emphasized that the Bible is a unified book and that the central focus of the Bible is Jesus Christ. Why is this understanding important and how will this effect the way we read, interpret, and apply the Bible?

2. What about the story of the widow of Zarephath stands out to you? Is it easy or difficult for you to identify with this story? Why?

3. What did Elijah ask of the widow? What did this require on the part of the widow?

4. The widow was to believe, to not fear, and to do something. Why are all three of these important for us as we follow Jesus?

5. In the story, God was the answer to this woman's desperate condition. How does this point us to Jesus and what does it teach us about our own needs and Jesus' promises?

6. What role does giving have in this story? How might the story have changed if the woman had refused to give what she had? Why is it important for us to consider our own giving of time, talent, and treasure?

