## BLESSED...?

Genesis 26: 12-18

Have you ever considered ??

- 12. When Isaac planted his crops that year, he harvested a hundred times more grain than he planted, for the LORD blessed him.
- 13. He became a very rich man, and his wealth continued to grow.
- 14. He acquired so many flocks of sheep and goats, herds of cattle, and servants that the Philistines became **jealous** of him.
- 15. So the Philistines filled up all of Isaac's wells with dirt. These were the wells that had been dug by the servants of his father, Abraham.
- 16. Finally, Abimelech ordered Isaac to leave the country. "Go somewhere else," he said, "for you have become too powerful for us."
- 17. So Isaac moved away to the Gerar Valley, where he set up their tents and settled down.
- 18. He reopened the wells his father had dug, which the Philistines had filled in after Abraham's death. Isaac also restored the names Abraham had given them.

## BLESSED but hassled

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RELOCATE V17 REOPEN & RESTORE V18

"Blessed... but harassed"?

LIFE-LESSON

Face the challenges and press on regardless