

**Good News for Ruth**  
**Gathering Groups Discussion Questions:**

**Ice Breaker:** If you could visit any country in the world, what would it be?

**Question #1:**

- What is something you found interesting from the story of Ruth?
- What about this story impacted you in an unexpected way?

**Question #2:**

- Why are the actions of Ruth so counter-cultural for her time?

**Question #3:**

- Read the focus Scripture above.
- This is an example of a covenant, which is something that women did not do at that time. Why is this commitment so significant?

**Question #4:**

- How does this story confront the nationalism of our day?

**Question #5:**

- What is God saying to you through this sermon?