

The welcome verse for this week is Romans 8:1; “There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.”



The Gospel of Adam 2.0

Romans 5:12-6:14

The Bottom Line: “For if we have been united with him in a death like his, we shall certainly be united with him in a resurrection like his” (Romans 6:5).

Introduction:

One of the things that has amazed me over the years is the misunderstandings of the Christian gospel from outside and inside of the church.

The gospel is the core center and the very foundation of our faith. How is it that we who are inside the church are getting this wrong?

It’s good to go back to the basics sometimes. We see the apostles consistently presenting teachings “by way of reminder.” Understanding the gospel is crucial because we would never want to begin believing another gospel (Galatians 1:9).

Truth:

Read Romans 5:12-6:14.

Define Sin: _____.

Where did sin come from? _____.

What is the consequence of my sin? _____.

The Law reveals much more about God’s holiness than my unholiness. Still, I could never measure up. I was lost to the curse of disobedience.

The Father sent in Adam 2.0, God with us, Jesus Christ. The Author of life has written himself into the story to alter the end of it.

Who is Jesus Christ? _____.

What is grace? _____.

Jesus Christ came to reverse the curse of disobedience and to reconcile us to God through righteousness.

In the person and work of Jesus, we have been brought from...

1. _____ to _____
2. _____ to _____
3. _____ to _____

How do we receive this life? Come and die.

Salvation is no momentary decision, but a daily commitment in faith and obedience, being renewed each day.

Application & Conclusion:

Identify yourself as his in death and in life. Abandon your path of rebellion and come find the life that is truly life. Present yourself to God, having been brought from death to life, and give yourself as an instrument of his righteousness. Sin will lose its grip, and the grace of God will hold you close.

“He has delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins” (Colossians 1:13-14).

Discussion questions for group this week:

1. What does this teach me about God?

2. What does this teach me about me?

3.How do I apply this to my life?

4.If I could ask a question about this it would be....