

*Gospel of Peace in the Midst of Empire*  
***Empire State of Mind***

1. Share some thoughts from Sunday's message and Romans 14.

2. It has been said that our acceptance of others starts us on the road to love, while contempt begins the road to hatred. Discuss this thought in light of Romans 14:1-3.

*Next week scriptures: Romans 15:1-13*

3. Read Romans 14:4, along with John 21:20-22 and James 4:12x. Why is it important to limit finger-pointing just to ourselves?

kingdoms second. Read Romans 14:17, and discuss ways this should influence our actions.

4. What is the main point of verses 5-8? How do we demonstrate this in daily life?

6. What does Romans 14:22 have to say about people's tendency to readily express an opinion on every subject?

5. When preaching on Romans 13, John said that we should be citizens of God's Kingdom first, earthly

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