

The Transforming Power of Grace

START: (10 min)

1. How was your week?
2. Conversation Starter (*optional*): What is your first reaction to seeing falling snow here in the Northwest?

GOSPEL: Have everyone in your group open to [Ephesians 2:1-10](#). There are several questions that will have you look directly into this Scripture. Have one person read it aloud.

1. According to this passage in Ephesians, what do we deserve? _____
Why?
2. What is God rich in? _____
What does that mean for us?
3. What has God's grace given you according to this passage?
In your life personally?
4. Describe what family life would look like if there was no grace.
Describe what family life would look like if it was full of grace.
5. We all have different personalities. Some of us are more naturally bent toward grace, others more the other way. Where are you on the "grace spectrum"?
What can you do to be more like Jesus in your expression of grace and mercy?
6. How does accountability fit in with grace?
7. Grace has the power to TRANSFORM. It can transform a conversation, a relationship and how you see others. Is there a current opportunity in your life that you need to extend more grace?