

Bearing “much” Fruit

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Text: John 15:1-11

Introduction:

Big Idea:

Truth Into Action:

Connect Card:

- What was your main take away from today’s sermon?
- How may we help & pray for you?



Please understand we want to help you know Jesus personally and journey with you in taking fresh steps of obedience daily. We would love to pray with you and for you. Join us at the end of the service for prayer or send us your request on the Connect Card and we will lift them up throughout the week.

Table Talk

Warm Up: Discuss the key to having a garden that grows much.

1. Read Psalm 1 and Psalm 125. What two categories do these psalms put all of humanity into? What makes the difference between being identified in one category vs. the other?
2. What does Jesus' statement, "I am the true vine" (John 15:1) imply?
3. What do disciples of Jesus - i.e., branches of the vine - have to do to "bear fruit" (John 15:4) for God?
4. After calling Himself, "I am the true vine" in John 15:1, why does Jesus now say, "I am the vine, you are the branches" (John 15:5)?
5. How do we abide in Jesus' "love" (John 15:9)?
6. If Jesus is happy with us, what level of "joy" (John 15:11) do we have?
7. How does seeing your current challenge(s) as God pruning you to produce fruit in your life change your perspective of your trial?
8. What fruit do you think He is producing or will produce through it?
9. In your own words, what is abiding in Christ?
10. "Just as a branch is unable to produce fruit by itself unless it remains on the vine, neither can you..."
Take a moment to look at what your life is producing right now. What fruit can you identify?

Closing Prayer: Help us to be bear much spiritual fruit in our lives. Amen!