

April 3rd, 2022 — Grace WEEK 4 LOVE GOD, LOVE PEOPLE, AND SERVE THE WORLD

Romans 7:25 Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord. Romans 12:2, 1 Peter 3:15,16

It used to be that "secularism" was the most dangerous threat to the church. Now it is "wokeism."

As Christians we don't go to culture to define who God is, to learn about biology, marriage, or our sexuality. We go to the Bible to understand these truths.

+ Wokeism is not just a political term. It is a revolution of change in culture that goes against the very nature of God almighty.

+You can never separate truth from grace. Truth always complements grace and vice versa.

2 Timothy 3:1-5

+God in His grace, made us in His image, gave us free will to choose, and we must choose the right road.

1 Timothy 5:21, Genesis 1:26-28, Ephesians 5:10-17

+Don't act thoughtlessly but understand what the Lord wants you to do, with your family, your relationships, and your own walk with the Lord.

+ We are to look to the Word not the world to define what Grace is.

Cheap grace is the preaching of forgiveness without requiring repentance. It is baptism without church discipline, communion without confession, absolution without personal confession. Cheap grace is grace without discipleship, grace without the Cross, grace without Jesus Christ, living and incarnate. **~Dietrich Bonhoeffer**

The Grace of God stands on its own and is under God's authority to give. It is one of the most Holy things that God has given to humanity, and we don't get to redefine what Grace is.

Wokeism is moralism without reference to truth.

*all verses taken from the New Living Translation unless otherwise noted.

