

# EVENTINNESS

## CENTREVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY, MARCH 15, 2020 WEEK 3: WELLNESS CHECK-UP

### PASSAGE: **JOHN 5:1-18**

### PLOW THROUGH IT:

VERSES 1-4 -

VERSES 5-6 -

VERSES 7-10 -

VERSES 11-13 -

VERSES 14-18 -

### PICTURE A PARABLE:

#### WORD STUDY

"well" (v. 6, 9, 11, 14, 15): **ὕγιής**  
(*hugiēs*) Having or indicating  
good health in body or mind

*Know this, you and all the people  
of Israel: It is by the name of Jesus  
Christ of Nazareth, whom you  
crucified but whom God raised  
from the dead, that this man  
stands before you healed.*  
Acts 4:10

<sup>6</sup> When Jesus saw him lying there and learned that he had been in this condition for a long time, he asked him, "Do you want to get well?"

<sup>7</sup> "Sir," the invalid replied, "I have no one to help me into the pool when the water is stirred. While I am trying to get in, someone else goes down ahead of me."

<sup>8</sup> Then Jesus said to him, "Get up! Pick up your mat and walk." <sup>9</sup> At once the man was cured; he picked up his mat and walked.

The day on which this took place was a Sabbath, <sup>10</sup> and so the Jewish leaders said to the man who had been healed, "It is the Sabbath; the law forbids you to carry your mat."

<sup>11</sup> But he replied, "The man who made me well said to me, 'Pick up your mat and walk.' "

<sup>12</sup> So they asked him, "Who is this fellow who told you to pick it up and walk?"

<sup>13</sup> The man who was healed had no idea who it was, for Jesus had slipped away into the crowd that was there.

<sup>14</sup> Later Jesus found him at the temple and said to him, "See, you are well again. Stop sinning or something worse may happen to you." <sup>15</sup> The man went away and told the Jewish leaders that it was Jesus who had made him well.

<sup>16</sup> So, because Jesus was doing these things on the Sabbath, the Jewish leaders began to persecute him. <sup>17</sup> In his defense Jesus said to them, "My Father is always at his work to this very day, and I too am working." <sup>18</sup> For this reason they tried all the more to kill him; not only was he breaking the Sabbath, but he was even calling God his own Father, making himself equal with God.

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## PASTOR'S POINTS:

1. It's \_\_\_\_\_ (short-term) to stay unhealthy than it is to \_\_\_\_\_ (long-term).

2. When Jesus makes you \_\_\_\_\_, he does it \_\_\_\_\_.

3. Just because you're well on the \_\_\_\_\_ doesn't mean you're well on the \_\_\_\_\_.

## PUT IT INTO PRACTICE

\_\_\_\_\_ to someone and ask for \_\_\_\_\_.

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

• Read John 5:6. Jesus asked the man if he wanted to get well. What would have been some reasons the man could have given if he didn't want to get well? What are some reasons people give today?

• Read John 5:16 and how the religious leaders persecuted Jesus. Put yourself in their shoes. Why do you suppose that they thought they were justified in persecuting Jesus?

• Look at the Pastor's Points above. Which one stands out to you and why? How have you "become well" as you've reached out and asked someone for help?