

Sermon Discussion Questions

Galatians: Grace Life – Matt Slocum
24 September 2023
Sermon Text: Galatians 2:15-21

AGENDA

- People arrive, talk, snack, and icebreaker – 5 min
- Worship – 5-10 min
- Prayer/Ministry Time – 20 min
- Discussion Questions – 35-45 min

PRAYER/MINISTRY TIME (20-30 min)

Ask for prayer requests. Ask for specific needs of group members.

MESSAGE INTRODUCTION

This week as we continue in Galatians, Pastor Matt explores what it means to be crucified with Christ and how we become alive through Christ living in us. Let's get started with our message this week, **Grace Life**.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS (35-45 min)

1. What stood out to you from this week's message?
2. In what ways does understanding the meaning of Justification impact your life?
3. Discuss what it means for the love of God to be what shapes our identity.
4. Read Genesis 1:1-2 and Genesis 2:4-7. Discuss these creation accounts and the sermon illustration of the water and the dirt.

APPLICATION

How much time are you spending in the water (Holy Spirit)? Do you find yourself too busy to get into and stay in the living water of the Holy Spirit? Too much time on the couch? Too much time watching TV? What is it that is keeping you from standing in the water so that streams and rivers of living water can flow out from you?

COMING UP

To join a small group or find out more about what is going on at NWC, go to <https://nwckc.com> or the New Wine Church Community Group Facebook page. Study materials are also available on the website or Facebook page.

Icebreakers

Pick one of the icebreaker questions below and go around in a circle (starting with the leader) and have everyone answer. (If you have new members or guests have each person introduce themselves.)

1. Hot apple cider or hot chocolate?
2. What is your least favorite vegetable? Why?
3. What is one thing that is on your bucket list?

Men's Retreat, 13-14 October, New Wine Church, 7102 N. Prospect Ave, Gladstone, MO. For more information and to register, go to: <https://subsplash.com/newwinechurch/lb/ev/+h675tkg>

FINAL THOUGHT

The only way for us to become what God wants us to become is to spend time in the water.