



May 6th 2018: We're All in This Together

Opening

- What has been your favorite trip?
- Share a memory that you remember because of who you were with?

Discussion

- [Read Philippians 2:14-16a](#). What is the distinction between the family of God (the church) and the rest of the world?
- What does the description “warped and crooked” make you think of?
- Ryan gave examples of people excusing their faults because of the season of life they are in or their age, where are some places you lean towards excusing because of the season of life you are in?
- What does holding firmly to the word of life look like when your life is falling apart?
- Ryan said we should feel like a breath of fresh air to people outside of the church. How can we do this in response to conflict? How about when people fail or make a mistake? When we disagree or have to compromise? Does the fruit of the Spirit describe you in these situations?
- Paul calls us to shine, to be people of the word who stand out because of our purity and humility. What’s it like trying to live out this kind of life?
- If you do something without arguing and grumbling, how does that make you “shine among them like stars in the sky?”
- [Read Philippians 2:16b-18](#). Our mission calls us to sacrifice. What would it look like for you to be poured out like a drink offering in your serving?
- [Read 2 Timothy 2:19-24](#). Who is someone you have met while serving who has encouraged you in your faith?
- Why do you think serving makes you a son of the father? (2 Timothy 2:22)

Application

- If you are not currently serving at Grace, how can you make a difference in someone’s life when you attend on Sunday morning?
- If you have been serving at Grace for a long time, how can you prevent your service from becoming stale or boring?
- How can you invite someone to be a part of something you’re doing this week?
- Where do you want to serve? Where are you passionate? What are you good at?