



## **Week 2- "God Calls Us..."**

**In this series we are discovering what God calls us. Christianity teaches that God has a good, pleasing, and perfect will for our lives and wants to invite us to be defined by Christ and what He has done for us. In this week's message, we look at five specific words that He calls us by, and discover an invitation He gives us to step into a new identity.**

1. What stood out to you from the message?

**Read Genesis 1:26-31, Romans 3:9-12, 23, and John 3:16**

2. According to these verses, what are the five things God Calls us?  
*(Made in God's Image, very good, sinner, loved, and valuable)*

3. When you hear that God calls you a sinner, how does that make you feel?

4. What does it say about God's heart that He doesn't just leave you defined by sin, but loved and valued you enough to die for your sins?

5. Why do you think people often judge others for their sins, and forget that they too have a sin problem?

6. Discuss the reality that without acknowledging your sin disease, you can't admit your need for a Savior.

7. Does your sin disease still define you in God's eyes? If so, what is keeping you from taking the step to put your trust in Jesus?

8. If you have taken the step to trust Jesus, can you rest in the truth that Christ's holiness and righteousness defines you?

9. How can this group help you process what God calls you, and how you can take your next step of trust toward Him?

**It is so important to evaluate where you are at, to know what God calls you. The invitation from God is clear: He loves and values us so deeply that He died for our sins, and invites each of us to trade our sins for His righteousness. When we put our faith in Jesus, we are no longer defined by our sins and wounds from our past. If you have accepted His sacrifice for your sin, will you rest in your new name this week, and if you haven't will you consider taking the step to put your faith in Him?**