

SERIES: BEST YEAR EVER

TRANSFORMATION

MAKING CHANGES THAT LAST

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UNLEASHED
CHRISTIAN CHURCH
TEACHING NOTES

Romans 7:22-25 (NLT)

I love God's law with all my heart. But there is another power within me that is at war with my mind.

This power makes me a slave to the sin that is still within me.

Oh, what a miserable person I am! Who will free me from this life that is dominated by sin and death? Thank God! The answer is in Jesus Christ our Lord...

Romans 12:2 (NIV)

Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is--His good, pleasing and perfect will.

We change WHAT we do, by changing HOW we think!

PRINCIPLES FOR LASTING CHANGE

LAST WEEK:

FOCUS ON CHANGING ONE ISSUE AT A TIME

FOCUS ON ONE DAY AT A TIME

FOCUS ON GOD'S POWER, NOT MY WILLPOWER

FOCUS ON WHAT I WANT, NOT WHAT I DON'T WANT

FOCUS ON DOING GOOD, NOT FEELING GOOD

Jeremiah 17:9 (NIV)

The heart is deceitful above all things and beyond cure.
Who can understand it?

Galatians 5:16 (NLT)

So I say, let the Holy Spirit guide your lives. Then you won't be doing what your sinful nature craves.

FOCUS ON PEOPLE WHO HELP ME, NOT HINDER ME

Proverbs 27:17 (NASB)

Iron sharpens iron, So one man sharpens another.

Ecclesiastes 4:9-10 (NLT)

Two people are better off than one, for they can help each other succeed. If one person falls, the other can reach out and help. But someone who falls alone is in real trouble.

FOCUS ON PROGRESS, NOT PERFECTION

Philippians 1:6 (NLT)

And I am certain that God, who began the good work within you, will continue His work until it is finally finished on the day when Christ Jesus returns.

I Timothy 4:15 (NLT)

Give your complete attention to these matters. Throw yourself into your tasks so that everyone will see your progress.

FOCUS ON YOUR TRUE IDENTITY

II Corinthians 5:17 (NLT)

This means that anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!

John 1:12 (NLT)

But to all who believed Him and accepted Him,
He gave the right to become children of God.

NEXT WEEK = NEW SERIES: GOD SHOW ME MY PURPOSE

We're so glad you joined us. If you would like more information about God, Jesus and the Bible, please talk with any of our church leaders.

Thank you for joining us!