

## **(Re)Think – Advent**

### **Our Devotion**

#### **Colossians 3: 12-14**

**November 14, 2021**

We continue on this week in our (Re)Think series as we rethink our Devotion to Christ and what that means for our lives every day and in particular how it translates toward our Advent and Christmas celebrations.

○ **Our Devotion Must show Christ to Others ... Formed by the Holy Spirit**

*12 Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.*

○ **Our Devotion Must show Christ to Others ... Framed in Grace**

*13 Bear with each other and forgive one another if any of you has a grievance against someone. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.*

○ **Our Devotion Must show Christ to Others ... Filled with Love**

*14 And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.*

### **THE ADVENT APPLICATIONS**

- The Holy Spirit bears fruit in and through the life of a follower of Jesus Christ through an active partnership with that person's spirit.
- Those who have placed their faith in Christ have been forgiven big and must forgive big as well.
- Love is really the key to it all ... without love, nothing else matters.

Next week, we will finish out study in Colossians 3: 15-17 and Rethinking our Demonstration of thankfulness by considering what it means to be "scripturally" thankful.