

SUNDAY - FEBRUARY 24, 2019

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# NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH

A STUDY OF 1 JOHN

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## "LOVE LIKE JESUS"//SCOTT RANDETT

**I John 4:7-21** - Dear friends, let us continue to love one another, for love comes from God. Anyone who loves is a child of God and knows God. <sup>8</sup>But anyone who does not love does not know God, for God is love. <sup>9</sup>God showed how much he loved us by sending his one and only Son into the world so that we might have eternal life through him. <sup>10</sup>This is real love—not that we loved God, but that he loved us and sent his Son as a sacrifice to take away our sins. <sup>11</sup>Dear friends, since God loved us that much, we surely ought to love each other. <sup>12</sup>No one has ever seen God. But if we love each other, God lives in us, and his love is brought to full expression in us. <sup>13</sup>And God has given us his Spirit as proof that we live in him and he in us. <sup>14</sup>Furthermore, we have seen with our own eyes and now testify that the Father sent his Son to be the Savior of the world. <sup>15</sup>All who declare that Jesus is the Son of God have God living in them, and they live in God. <sup>16</sup>We know how much God loves us, and we have put our trust in his love. God is love, and all who live in love live in God, and God lives in them. <sup>17</sup>And as we live in God, our love grows more perfect. So we will not be afraid on the day of judgment, but we can face him with confidence because we live like Jesus here in this world. <sup>18</sup>Such love has no fear, because perfect love expels all fear. If we are afraid, it is for fear of punishment, and this shows that we have not fully experienced his perfect love. <sup>19</sup>We love each other because he loved us first. <sup>20</sup>If someone says, "I love God," but hates a fellow believer, that person is a liar; for if we don't love people we can see, how can we love God, whom we cannot see? <sup>21</sup>And he has given us this command: Those who love God must also love their fellow believers.

**"When you love like Jesus loves, you live like Jesus lives." – Bob Goff**

1. I am the \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I take the \_\_\_\_\_.
3. I choose to be \_\_\_\_\_.
4. I do not stay \_\_\_\_\_.
5. I prove my \_\_\_\_\_.

**The Result:** I have nothing to \_\_\_\_\_ when I stand before Jesus.

**OUR MISSION IS TO CHANGE OUR WORLD  
BY DEVELOPING CHRIST FOLLOWERS  
WHO LOVE GOD AND LOVE PEOPLE.**

## IGNITE MEN'S WEEKEND



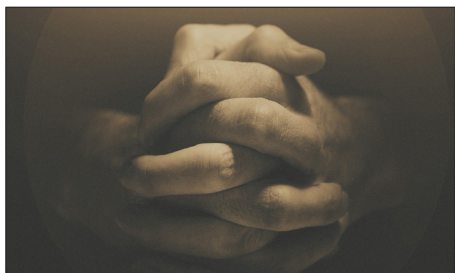
Imagine thousands of men coming together to learn more about the life God intends for us. Learn tips for the everyday challenges that men face – a godless culture, fatherlessness, broken relationships, and lack of godly male leadership. Some of the men at this year's weekend include: Jeff Foxworthy, DeShaun Watson, Jack Graham, Jon Gordon, and many others. The event is **March 15-16th** in Lynchburg. Sign up at: **[www.ignitemen.net](http://www.ignitemen.net)**

## "HOW TO SUFFER WELL"



At some point or another almost every one of us will deal with pain and hurt. We will experience suffering and difficulty. Join us **Wednesday at 6:30pm** for a new class on "How to Suffer Well." This class will prepare you to suffer with wisdom, spiritual maturity, appropriate action, and how you can help others do the same.

## NEED PRAYER?



If you or someone you know would like to be added to our prayer list, there are four things you can do: **1)** Fill out a Connect Card and turn it in to the Connect Center. **2)** Email us at: [prayer@danriverchurch.org](mailto:prayer@danriverchurch.org). **3)** call us at 434.582.2020. **4)** Share it with your life group leader. If you would like more information on joining one of our prayer teams, stop by the Connect Center.

## COMING SOON



Be sure to join us next week for the conclusion of our current sermon series: **"Nothing but the Truth"**. Discover the secret to winning the battle over difficult situations and temptations. Don't miss our new sermon series that begins **March 10th, "Don't Judge Me"**. Is it ever okay to judge others and how do we respond when we are the one being judged?

# MINISTRY OPPORTUNITIES

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## GUEST SERVICES | CREATIVE ARTS | FAMILY MINISTRY

- parking lot team
- greeter team
- cafe team
- next steps team
- welcome center team
- offering team
- security team
- band
- vocal team
- tech team
- nursery team
- preschool team
- elementary team
- kids check-in team
- high school ministry
- middle school ministry



## WE ARE DRIVEN BY 6 CORE VALUES

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COMMITMENT TO SCRIPTURE



CULTURE OF PRAYER



LIFESTYLE OF WORSHIP



CONNECTION TO COMMUNITY



HEART FOR SERVING



PASSION FOR SHARING



## CONNECT WITH US

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