



Awaken

STOP LIVING LIKE SIN STILL OWNS YOU

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Big Picture / Key Message

Revival begins when we stop making peace with the sin Jesus died to free us from.

Sermon Text

Romans 6:1-14

Supporting Scriptures

- John 8:31-36
- Galatians 5:1
- Colossians 3:1-10
- Titus 2:11-14

Opening

➤ Icebreaker:

When you think of the word “sin,” what comes to mind?



Going Deeper

➤ Truth and Freedom

(John 8:31-36)

- Explain the difference between a “slave” and a “son.”
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- What would it look like to find true freedom?
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- What do you need freed from?

➤ Freedom in Christ

(Galatians 5:1-6)

- Who is writing this letter? Who is he writing it to?
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- Why was Paul so adamant that these people should reject circumcision?
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- What is the biggest challenge you are currently facing in your spiritual life?
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- What is the biggest victory you have achieved in your spiritual life?

➤ Living the New Life

(Colossians 3:1-10)

- What does it mean to be “raised with Christ”?
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- How do we find balance between setting our minds “on things above” and still functioning well in our everyday lives?
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- What are practical ways to “put to death” earthly behaviors and “put away” sin?

➤ Living in This World

(Titus 2:11-14)

- What does it mean to be sensible, righteous and godly as a Christian today?
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- Where do you see examples of godlessness and worldly lusts represented as positive things in today’s culture?
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- Who are some of your spiritual role models?

For Group Discussion

- Where have you seen God giving you freedom in your life, or where are you still asking Him for freedom?
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- What is one practical way you can live more like your new identity in Christ this week?
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- Looking at all of this week's passages, what is one truth about following Jesus that challenged or encouraged you the most? Why?

Personal Reflection

- What in your life do you need to find freedom from?
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- What is one practical step this week that you can take to move away from sin and toward the freedom grace offers to you?
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- How can you be obedient to what God is asking of you? Accountability? Prayer? Encouragement?

Prayer Focus

Thank God for grace.

Pray for a desire to continually lay down things that hold you back from a full and free relationship with God.

Pray for perseverance and courage to hold tight to what Jesus gives to you.