

Week 3 - March 18

The Enemy of Grace (**Rejecting Grace**)

Pride, self-sufficiency, returning to sin.

Like a Dog that returns to his vomit ?

Week 1 Grace to be different (**Living Grace**) - distinct If we want people to see the world, live like the world, you want people to see Jesus, live like Jesus.

Week 2 Grace when you don't deserve it (**Receiving Grace**) Your past does not define you, Jesus defines you.

This week someone had the courage to check themselves in for Alcohol detox.

Stay strong and if you have fallen off the wagon, get back on.

For those of you who have been praying, thanks so much.

1 Peter 5:5-6 Read first

When I was 10 bike story.

James 4:6

Proverbs 3:34

God resists the proud.

Grace is given to the humble.

The Lord opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble.

Could it be that God does not resist proud, the proud resist God's grace.

Person's Pride will humble him, but a humble spirit will bring him favor. Show favor, grace.

The Garden

Tree of the knowledge of good and evil, they will become like God.

God is love. He is not hate, he is not disappointment, he is not I wish you were never born. He is "I love you."

2 Peter 2:22

Proverbs 26:22

Like a dog that returns to his vomit. Become worse, because you have reject the grace of God.

He can't do it, and the demonic spirit realized here is a weak one, lets have a party with them.

Powers and principalities - our battle is not in this world.

Self-will will only get you so far, but God's will will take you far.

Jesus - not my will, but your will be done in me.

Qualities of humility

1. Trust - if you don't trust you control
2. Surrender - not my will but your will be done - Jesus in the Garden. You decide, or you let God decide.
3. Dependence -
4. Submission - not, I have to, but I want to. if this is what your word says, I will be faithful.

Picture in the Garden - where are you.

You have to learn to die, to fully live.

He give grace to the humble, he honors them.

Successful, accomplished, able to endure the trial.

Come to the father - son, daughter, what did you do with what I gave you...
Jesus, let me tell him. This is what we did father.

He Elevates you, puts you in high places. He give you more grace, more favor.