



Week 4 Grace

Titus 3:3-8

Starter

Who is the kindest person you know? What makes them kind? Did you ever see them mad? How did they act.

The definition of grace is the "free and unmerited favor of God".

Have you ever felt like you have had to earn God's favor? Where did this belief come from? How closely do you hold to this belief?

Read Titus 3:3-8

Before we get into some questions about this passage. Take a second to read the passage again to yourself. Underline or circle any word or phrases that stuck out to you.

What words or phrases stuck out to you in this passage? Why?

Verse 3 talks generally of sinful actions. What kind of specific would you point out. DO NOT generally point your finger at the world-this is a personal question. How can you identify with this list?

How would you respond to your behavior if you were God, why?

There is a stark contrast in tone between verse 3 and verse 4-why do you think the biblical writer did this?

How does God's mercy become evident in grace? Why is it such a big deal?

How do you see the benefits of God's grace playing out in your life?

Why is it important that grace comes as a gift from God instead of something to be earned?

Verses 5-6 are packed full of amazing theology. Which one of those ideas is most foreign to you? Do you identify with any of them? Which one?

In verse 8 the writer says, "these things are excellent and profitable for everyone." why/how can these things be good for everyone?