

Oasis Sunday School Class

HABITS OF GRACE 4/19/26

EP. 2:1 WE WERE DEAD IN OUR TRESPASSES AND SINS

V. 4 BUT GOD, BEING RICH IN MERCY BECAUSE OF HIS GREAT LOVE WITH WHICH HE LOVED US, EVEN WHEN WE WERE DEAD IN OUR TRANSGRESSIONS, MADE US ALIVE TOGETHER WITH CHRIST (BY GRACE YOU HAVE BEEN SAVED)

PATHWAYS TO THE GRACE OF GOD:

1. THE _____-(WE HEAR HIS VOICE)
2. _____-(WE HAVE HIS EAR)
3. _____-(WE BELONG TO HIS BODY)

FELLOWSHIP-KOINONIA MEANS:

- _____
- _____
- AN "ALL IN", LIFE OR DEATH COLLECTIVE VENTURE IN THE FACE OF GREAT EVIL AND IN THE FACE OF OVERWHELMING OPPOSITION.

ACTS 1:14 THESE ALL WITH ONE MIND WERE CONTINUALLY DEVOTING THEMSELVES TO PRAYER.

ACTS 2:42 THEY WERE CONTINUALLY DEVOTING THEMSELVES TO THE APOSTLES' TEACHING AND TO FELLOWSHIP.

THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE EARLY CHURCH:

1. WAS ANCHORED IN THE FACT THAT THEY WERE _____ JESUS
1 COR. 1:9 GOD IS FAITHFUL, THROUGH WHOM YOU WERE CALLED INTO FELLOWSHIP WITH HIS SON, JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD.

2. THEY WERE IN THE _____
1 COR. 13:14 THE GRACE OF THE LORD JESUS CHRIST, AND THE LOVE OF GOD, AND THE FELLOWSHIP OF THE HOLY SPIRIT BE WITH YOU ALL.

3. THEY WERE FELLOW _____ OF THE DIVINE INHERITANCE
ROMANS 8:17 AND IF CHILDREN, HEIRS ALSO, HEIRS OF GOD AND FELLOW PARTAKERS OF THE PROMISE IN CHRIST JESUS THROUGH THE GOSPEL
EP 3:6 THE GENTILES ARE FELLOW HEIRS AND FELLOW MEMBERS OF THE BODY, AND FELLOW PARTAKERS OF THE PROMISE IN CHRIST JESUS THROUGH THE GOSPEL.

4. THEY SHARED ALL THINGS IN _____
ACTS 2:44 AND ALL THOSE WHO HAD BELIEVED WERE TOGETHER AND HAD ALL THINGS IN COMMON

ACTS 4:32 AND THE CONGREGATION OF THOSE WHO BELIEVED WERE OF ONE HEART AND SOUL; AND NOT ONE OF THEM CLAIMED THAT ANYTHING BELONGING TO HIM WAS HIS OWN, BUT ALL THINGS WERE COMMON PROPERTY TO THEM

5. JEW AND GENTILE WERE FELLOW _____
EP. 2:19 SO THEN YOU ARE NO LONGER STRANGERS AND ALIENS, BUT YOU ARE FELLOW CITIZENS WITH THE SAINTS, AND ARE OF GOD'S HOUSEHOLD

6. THEY WERE COMMITTED TO PARTNERSHIP OF THE _____
PHIL. 1:5 IN VIEW OF YOUR PARTICIPATION IN THE GOSPEL FROM THE FIRST DAY UNTIL NOW
V. 7 YOU ARE ALL PARTAKERS WITH ME OF GRACE....IN THE DEFENSE AND CONFIRMATION OF THE GOSPEL

“REAL FELLOWSHIP HAS AT ITS VERY CORE THE MESSAGE OF SALVATION.”

7. THEY HAD A DEEP _____ FOR ONE ANOTHER

JOHN 13:35 BY THIS ALL PEOPLE WILL KNOW THAT YOU ARE MY DISCIPLES, IF YOU HAVE LOVE FOR ONE ANOTHER.

2 TEXTS THAT HELP DEFINE BIBLICAL FELLOWSHIP:

1. **HEBREWS 10:24-25 LET US CONSIDER HOW TO STIR UP ONE ANOTHER TO LOVE AND GOOD WORKS, NOT NEGLECTING TO MEET TOGETHER, AS IS THE HABIT OF SOME, BUT ENCOURAGING ONE ANOTHER, AND ALL THE MORE AS YOU SEE THE DAY DRAWING NEAR.**

- EPH. 4:15 SPEAK THE TRUTH IN LOVE
- EP. 4:29 SPEAK SUCH AS IS GOOD FOR BUILDING UP, AS FITS THE OCCASION, THAT IT MAY GIVE GRACE TO THOSE WHO HEAR.

2. **HEBREWS 3:12-13 TAKE CARE, BROTHERS, LEST THERE BE IN ANY OF YOU AN EVIL, UNBELIEVING HEART, LEADING YOU TO FALL AWAY FROM THE LIVING GOD. BUT EXHORT ONE ANOTHER EVERY DAY...THAT NONE OF YOU MAY BE HARDENED BY THE DECEITFULNESS OF SIN.**

QUOTE BY MARK MATHIS: “FELLOWSHIP MAY BE THE OFTEN FORGOTTEN MIDDLE CHILD OF THE SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINES, BUT SHE MAY SAVE YOUR LIFE IN THE DARK OF NIGHT OF YOUR SOUL. AS YOU PASS THROUGH THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW OF DEATH, AS THE SHEPHERD COMFORTS YOU WITH HIS STAFF, YOU WILL DISCOVER THAT HE HAS FASHIONED HIS PEOPLE TO ACT AS HIS ROD OF RESCUE. WHEN THE DESIRE TO AVAIL YOURSELF OF HEARING HIS VOICE (IN THE WORD), HAS DRIED UP, AND WHEN YOUR SPIRITUAL ENERGY IS GONE TO SPEAK INTO HIS EAR (IN PRAYER), GOD SENDS HIS BODY TO BRING YOU BACK.

JAMES 5:19-20 MY BRETHREN, IF ANY AMONG YOU STRAYS FROM THE TRUTH AND ONE TURNS HIM BACK, LET HIM KNOW THAT HE WHO TURNS A SINNER FROM THE ERROR OF HIS WAY WILL SAVE HIS SOUL FROM DEATH AND WILL COVER A MULTITUDE OF SINS.

TITUS 2:11 FOR THE GRACE OF GOD HAS APPEARED, BRINGING SALVATION TO ALL MEN

COVENANTAL FELLOWSHIP:

- BETWEEN PEOPLE WHO HAVE MADE FORMAL _____ TO EACH OTHER
- GIVES THE BEST _____ FOR GROWTH AND FLOURISHING
- WE HAVE _____ TO EACH OTHER

WHY BE A PART OF A LOCAL CHURCH:

1. FOR YOUR OWN _____
JUDE 3 THE FAITH ONCE FOR ALL DELIVERED TO THE SAINTS
MATT. 16:19 I WILL GIVE YOU THE KEYS OF THE KINGDOM OF HEAVEN; AND WHATEVER YOU BIND ON EARTH SHALL HAVE BEEN BOUND IN HEAVEN, AND WHATEVER YOU LOOSE ON EARTH SHALL HAVE BEEN LOOSED IN HEAVEN.
2. FOR THE PURPOSE OF _____
 - LOVE MANIFESTS ITSELF IN _____
3. FOR YOUR OWN _____
4. FOR THE GOOD OF YOUR _____
5. FOR THE GOOD OF _____
6. FOR YOUR OWN _____