

Colossians

Week 1: Gospel of Grace | Teacher: Libin Abraham Sermon Questions for 8.17.2025

Opener

Do you typically find yourself laser-focused on one thing or do you tend to see everything at once?

Read

Colossians 1:1-14; Colossians 2:13

Main Points

- 1. Speed is often the enemy of depth.
- 2. The calling of a saint is to live fully alive in Christ and be fully engaged in "Colossae," not as servants of "Colossae," but as servants of Christ in "Colossae."
- 3. We don't have a gospel of good advice, we have a gospel of good news and that's why we stand in awe of sheer grace when we experience the gospel.
- 4. Experiencing the grace of God doesn't lead us to a chaise lounge, it leads to a walk.
- 5. The grace that saves you and forgives you also empowers you to a new kind of life, a new walk in the Spirit.
- 6. Four aspects of what this grace walk is like: (1) Colossians 1:10 bearing fruit, (2) Colossians 1:10 growing, (3) Colossians 1:11 being strengthened, (4) Colossians 1:11-12 joyfully giving thanks.

Engage with God in a Group

- How would you describe hope?
- Would you say you're a person of hope or do you struggle to embrace hope in your daily life?
- When you think about the aspects of living out our faith, which aspect do you feel comes most naturally?
- How have you experienced the four aspects together in your life?
- What would it look like to live fully alive in Christ and be fully engaged in your "Colossae"?

Bottom Line

If you are in Christ, you are a saint, not a sinner. We are saints in Christ Jesus!

Daily Activity as We Study Colossians Together

Throughout this study, we encourage you to physically write out 2-3 verses a day.