

**LEARN**

What stood out to you from the sermon on Sunday?

Open up to Genesis 3 together. Scanning verses 1 – 19, what “implications” regarding sin are evident in the story?

Read Romans 5:12-17. How does this passage inform you of a) all people’s relationship to Adam’s sin and b) the free gift of salvation that comes through the “second Adam”, Jesus?

Sin is complicated to define in a single sentence, but it is important to be aware of how the Bible describes it. Discuss some of the central passages, from Sunday or others you know, that describe the nature of sin.

**PRACTICE**

How does a biblical (i.e. from God’s perspective) view of sin help you understand people better?

Scott listed several sinful responses to sin. List the ones he gave from your notes. 2 questions: How else do you see people sinfully respond to sin? How do you sinfully respond to sin?

Read 1 John 2:15-16. As a group, name some ways Christians are prone to “love the world”. How do you need to ask God to free you from the “love of the world” in your own heart?

**CHANGE**

Read Galatians 5:13-26. Immediately go to prayer as a group (ask that a few people pray) asking the Holy Spirit to reveal ways you have been led by desires of the flesh recently. After praying, discuss:

- There can be many works of the flesh that need to be crucified in our lives. What is something specific you need to “crucify” (v.24)? What attitudes, actions, thoughts, motives or disbelief does God want eradicate from your life by his power so that you walk by the Spirit?