

Leaders:

1. Please make one more mention of the HSM garage sale fundraiser happening April 21st. Someone from HSM will pick up your items from your home on April 20th. [Bit.ly/HSMgaragesale](http://bit.ly/HSMgaragesale) to notify Zak Graves you're interested.
2. Reminder: The April/May prayer docs are at the top of the SG Questions page.

LEARN - Start by reading Galatians 1:1-5

What stood out to you from the sermon on Sunday?

Why does it matter that Paul is an Apostle directly called and sent by God and not merely by men?

(His message is authoritative and the same message of Jesus; he saw Christ risen, was commissioned by Jesus directly like all other Apostles; if he's false/illegitimate we have no reason to take him seriously)

What are some of the risks we face as a local church if we do not cling to the same gospel Paul proclaimed?

(We will end up losing the gospel if we add anything extra or subtract anything essential. God's power working through his people is removed when a local congregation loses the gospel, and people are led astray)

PRACTICE

Jesus did not come first to teach but to rescue/deliver. How does this truth impact the way you think about the gospel (for yourself) and speak about the gospel (to others)?

How does the gospel of God's grace produce peace in someone's heart? What is a recent example of this happening in your own life?

(Receiving his free grace through the work of Jesus, believed by faith, gives a security of his love and our eternal position as his children from which his peace can be experienced and kept through all of life's trials)

What tangible benefits and blessings are spoken to the believer in these 5 verses? Which do you need to specifically believe or receive more deeply in your heart from what Paul says is true of you?

(Look at the pronouns: grace, peace, God is our Father, Jesus died for our sins, we are delivered from present evil age)

CHANGE

We have been delivered by God through Jesus in order to witness about him in this present evil age. How is that witness going in your life? Spend time praising God for his deliverance and asking him to work on your heart to represent and speak his Truth well to the world.