



Justified by Christ, not “Me”

Romans 4:1-11

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I. Faith _____ from Works.

- **Genesis 15:6** - And he [Abraham] believed the Lord, and he counted it to him as righteousness.
- **Ephesians 2:8-9** - For by grace you have been saved through faith. And this is not your own doing; it is the gift of God, not a result of works, so that no one may boast.
- **Galatians 2:21** - I do not nullify the grace of God, for if righteousness were through the law, then Christ died for no purpose.
- **Isaiah 64:6** - We have all become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous deeds are like a polluted garment. We all fade like a leaf, and our iniquities, like the wind, take us away.

II. Faith _____ Works.

- **James 2:22** - You see that faith was active along with his works, and faith was completed by his works;
- **Romans 6:1-2** - What shall we say then? Are we to continue in sin that grace may abound? By no means! How can we who died to sin still live in it?
- **Galatians 2:16** - ...yet we know that a person is not justified by works of the law but through faith in Jesus Christ, so we also have believed in Christ Jesus, in order to be justified by faith in Christ and not by works of the law, because by works of the law no one will be justified.
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III. Faith for _____.

- **John 3:16** - “For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life.
- **John 14:6** - Jesus said to him, “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

What’s Going on at The Bridge Community:

7.19.26

As a church we want to **“help people find Jesus and follow him fully.”** When we are following Jesus fully, we will be doing the following 4 things:



1. **Reaching** out in service to others.

- **Have a need?:** If you or someone you know has a need, please contact us by clicking on the “Need Assistance?” link on the website or in the app. This is the **BEST** way to notify several leaders of how we can help!
- **Serving at TBC:** Jesus blesses us with *time, talent, and treasure*, **and** we get to use them to serve Him! Connect with Rob at rob@thebridgeutah.org to get serving at TBC.
- **Devotional & Prayer:** If you need prayer or encouragement, our men's ministry is available on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month from 8:00-10:00am at TBC.



2. **Teaching** others to delight in God and obey His calling in their lives.

- **1000 in 10:** Sign up for **Roots** to become a one-on-one disciple-maker. Fill out the “Get Involved” card on the church center app, or contact Kevin at kevin@thebridgeutah.org.



3. **Growing** upward (in intimacy with God) and outward (in community)

- **Men’s, Women’s Bible Studies, and Youth:** on break for the summer.
- **Young Adults** - Fridays from 6:00-7:30pm at TBC. Ages 18-26 are welcome! Find more info in the app.
- **Women’s Game Night:** Friday, August 7th from, 6:00-8:30pm at TBC. Women are welcome to join for a night of games, fellowship, and a devotional. See the app for more details.
- **Couple’s Cornhole Night:** Saturday, August 1st, from 7:00-9:00pm at TBC. Couples are invited to join us for a night of Cornhole, fellowship, and a devotional. Childcare is provided.



4. **Going** and making disciples, seeking and saving the lost.

- **Pray** for Church Plants and missionary work that we support:
 - **Utah Church Plants:** Neighborhood Church, The Front, The Refuge, and Summit 419.
 - **Missionaries:** Haley Horton in Bulgaria and Hannah Sapigao in Estonia.
- **Summer Mission Trip:** July 18th-28th. Please be in prayer for our team as they share the love of Jesus in Estonia and Latvia!

Other Announcements:

- **Tithes and Offerings** may be dropped off in the giving box at the West sanctuary entrance. (Contact cards or Easter Response cards may be dropped here as well).
- **On-line giving information:** Give online at <https://thebridgeutah.org/giving> or through the “Give” icon at the bottom of our Church Center App.
- **Got Wifi?:** Network name: TBC Guest, and the password is: SimplyJesus.