WHY IT’S SO HARD TO DO THE RIGHT THING
ROMANS 7:18-21 / 3-31-21 / WED

I. WE JUST DON’T WANT TO DO THE RIGHT THING.

A. Doing the wrong thing just comes more naturally. Why?
   1. The Bible says its because of original sin.
   2. Original sin has been defined as being born with a natural tendency to sin that we inherited from Adam-Romans 5:12.
   3. Jesus came to do something about this sin gene-Romans 5:18.
   4. Although Jesus doesn’t remove our sin “gene”, he does give us the ability to control it-1 Corinthians 10:13.

B. We must feed our new nature and starve our old nature.

II. WE OFTEN POSITION OURSELVES FOR FAILURE.

A. How do we position ourselves for failure.
   2. We need to change our position according to the Apostle Paul-2 Timothy 2:22--Flee the evil desires….

B. We must “flee” those situations that tempt us to sin.

III. THE CLEANUP JOB ISN’T OVER YET.

A. We are all a work in progress—Phil 1:6.

B. Its like going off a diet for one meal.