

# I love God's Church Part 3

Extended Verse Study:

## This Week's Memory Verse Focus

**"... God has given us this task of reconciling people to him... So we are Christ's ambassadors; God is making his appeal through us" 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:18-20**

**2018 Motto:**

**It's always 3:30 (John 3:30)**

Ask yourself and apply to your daily prayer:

How can I apply the theme to my daily living and connect that understanding in my active part of the local Body of Christ where I am committed at HCC

**Current Sermon Title:**

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Ask yourself how can participating in the soul habit practice of reforming the center of your life to Christ by making a Spiritual Formation Plan to be led by the love of God

1: Read 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:18-20

2: Read Philippians 2

3: Read Philippians 3:10

4: Read Colossians 1:15

5: Read Ephesians 1:23

6: Read John 3:30

### FOR THE GROUP: Working it out together

1. Sin is the sickness that kills the soul and causes eternal death apart from God. If Jesus is the answer to heal and restore life everlasting with the Father, what role does His church play?
2. Pastor Steve said, "The church is the main clinic where the cure for soul cancer is administered." What does this mean? Philippians 2:12-13
3. Who gives us authority to invite others to come to the church to learn how to receive the cure of soul killing sin. Read 2<sup>nd</sup> Corinthians 5:18-20.
4. Pastor Steve said, "You can't love Jesus and not love His church. You can't love His church and not love His mission." What is the work of His church?
5. If the work of His church is to get the word out that Jesus is the cure for soul cancer, how do we get the word out?
6. Pastor Steve said, "We must speak up about the cure...the easiest way to do that is simply invite people to come to the clinic where the cure is dispensed and that's the church." If you love the church and God's mission to get the word out about the cure, what prevents you from inviting people church to hear about the cure of soul killing sin?

### FOR THE INDIVIDUAL: Take Away

***I love God's Church:***

- **We, the church aka the body of Christ, by the power of His Holy Spirit, have the cure of soul killing sin living within us**
- **We are the ambassadors of God our mission is to spread the Good News of Jesus, Cure for soul killing sin**
- **The church primary way to share the cure is to speak up and walk the talk**
- **The Church is the visible image of the invisible God**
- **We have to share the cure and live a life of the good and beautiful God to witness the cure is real**