THIS IS NOW WE CHANGE THE WORLD

Cornerstone Church Talking Points Guide

"We'll Save You a Seat" This is How We Change the World, Pt. 7 Pastor Jacob Young Sunday, February 14, 2021

SUNDAY SERVICE REFLECTION

Talk about your favorite moment from this week's worship service. What scripture passage, worship song, or sermon quote did you relate to the most? Why?

SCRIPTURE READING

Pray and ask God to illuminate his Word. Then, read the below passage(s) of scripture out loud.

God, who knows the heart, showed that he accepted them by giving the Holy Spirit to them, just as he did to us. He did not discriminate between us and them, for he purified their hearts by faith. Now then, why do you try to test God by putting on the necks of Gentiles a yoke that neither we nor our ancestors have been able to bear? No! We believe it is through the grace of our Lord Jesus that we are saved, just as they are. Acts 15:8-11 NIV

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Choose one of the questions below to answer in relation to the above scripture passage(s).

- What did you notice about this passage(s)?
- What did this passage(s) teach you?
- How are you challenged to live differently?
- How can you apply this passage(s) to your day-to-day life?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

• What do you think is the perception of Christians from people who are outside of the church?

- What was it like when you first started following Jesus? Did you feel like it was good news? Did it seem like it was mostly a big list of things you couldn't do anymore?
- What do you think it looks like for Christians in 2021 to follow the lead and example of the Early Church by avoiding unnecessary hardships for those who are coming to Jesus?

TALK IT OVER WITH KIDS

- What do you think it means to follow God? Do you think it's mostly about what you can't do or what you can do?
- The word "gospel" means "good news." Why is the news about what Jesus has done for us such good news?
- God is a welcoming God, and he wants everyone to come to faith in him. How can we help others come to faith in God?