



Life Group Study Questions Romans 5:12-21

1. Read Romans 5:12-21 together. As you think about this weekend's sermon, what stood out to you? What questions come to mind based on the passage? Was there anything unclear or confusing?
2. Think of a time when someone else's decision (parent, boss, government leader) drastically impacted your life for better or worse. How did it feel living with the consequences of a choice you didn't personally make?
3. According to verse 12, how did sin and death enter the world? What does Paul mean when he says 'death spread to all men because all sinned' (Pastor Andrew talked about Greek word for 'all sinned'). Why is it important to understand imputed guilt and corruption from Adam?
4. Read through verses 15-19 and talk about the similarities between Adam and Jesus and also the differences. What did Adam bring? What did Christ bring?
5. A main concept taught in this passage is "headship". The idea that Adam represented all of humanity and Jesus represents a new humanity. Does the idea of headship sound fair or necessary? Why or why not?
6. In your day to day life how are you walking on the narrow road of the gospel? Are there ways you are falling into legalism? Liberalism? What do you need to do to correct that?