The Gift of Repentance

Study & Discussion Guide
Summit Church | January 2nd, 2022



GROWING CLOSER TOGETHER

- 1) Do you prefer fruits or vegetables? Share what your favorite is.
- 2) What is your favorite thing about winter?

MESSAGE REFLECTION

- 1) What is something from the sermon that stood out to you, convicted you, or encouraged you?
- 2) How is repentance a gift from God?
- 3) Where would you place your experience with repentance on the scale of pure condemnation to "hyper grace"?
- 4) How is godly sorrow different from worldly sorrow (2 Cor 7:10)? Why is godly sorrow necessary for repentance?
- 5) What are the benefits of godly sorry & repentance in our lives (2 Cor 7:11)? How does fearing God dispel fear of other worries?

GOING DEEPER

READ - Psalm 51:1-17 together

- 1) What is something that stands out at you from this passage?
- 2) How does "blotting out" and "washing thoroughly" give us a picture of how God administers justification and sanctification?
- 3) How do verses 16 & 17 affirm Jesus' teaching on repentance found in **Luke 18:9-14**(read together)?

READ - Psalm 1 John 1:5-10 together

- 1) What is something that stands out at you from this passage?
- 2) Why do you think that John describes God as light and that walking with God is walking in the light?
- 3) Why should repentance be a regular part of the Christian's life?

LIVING IT OUT

Read and pray David's prayer of repentance from Psalm 139:23-24. If you don't normally pray on your knees or face get into that posture if you're able.

PRAYER TIME – Pray for the needs and requests in your group.