



THE FRUITS OF GRACE

FAITHFULNESS

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PREACHING POINT: God's faithfulness to fulfill all of his promises for us in Christ must propel our own spirit-empowered faithfulness in everyday life.

1. Recall _____

2. Respond _____

3. Exhibit _____

Galatians 5:16-23 (ESV)

16 But I say, walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh. 17 For the desires of the flesh are against the Spirit, and the desires of the Spirit are against the flesh, for these are opposed to each other, to keep you from doing the things you want to do. 18 But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not under the law. 19 Now the works of the flesh are evident: sexual immorality, impurity, sensuality, 20 idolatry, sorcery, enmity, strife, jealousy, fits of anger, rivalries, dissensions, divisions, 21 envy, drunkenness, orgies, and things like these. I warn you, as I warned you before, that those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God. 22 But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, 23 gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

Application Questions

These questions are provided for your further study and application of today's sermon. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point of today's study. It is also helpful when you are able to discuss your answers with others. For more information about LifeGroups at Compass Bible Church that utilize these questions as the basis for their weekly discussion, please visit compasshillcountry.org/lifegroups or email us at info@compasshillcountry.org.

1. Write down one observation or application you found helpful from this week's sermon and baptisms.
2. Read Deuteronomy 7:6-9 and Joshua 21:45. How do these verses help you define God's faithfulness?
 - a. How have you seen God's faithfulness in your own life?
3. Read 1 John 1:9. Why must God's faithfulness be the starting point for salvation and forgiveness?
 - a. If God were only 99% faithful, how would that impact your confidence in your salvation?
 - b. How does knowing that God is 100% faithful give you assurance in your relationship with him and motivate you to share the gospel with others?
4. Read 1 Corinthians 11:1. Paul tells the Corinthians to imitate him as he imitates Jesus. How does imitating Jesus impact your reliability in the eyes of others?
 - a. Give three examples of everyday Christlike reliability that you can exhibit in your interaction with others.
 - b. Why should we care whether or not we are seen as reliable?
5. Read Proverbs 20:6. Why must we be aware of self-deception in the area of faithfulness?
 - a. What practical steps can you take to ensure your view of personal faithfulness aligns with God's standard?

This Week's Bible Reading Schedule

October 19th

Jeremiah 1-2 & 2 Thess 2

October 20th

Jeremiah 3-4 & 2 Thess 3

October 21st

Jeremiah 5-6 & 1 Timothy 1

October 22nd

Jeremiah 7-8 & 1 Timothy 2

October 23rd

Jeremiah 9-10 & Timothy 3

October 24th

Jeremiah 11-13 & 1 Timothy 4

October 25th

Jeremiah 14-16 & 1 Timothy 5

October 26th

Jeremiah 17-19 & 1 Timothy 6