

Connect Group Notes

Sermon: Is the Gospel a Free Pass to Keep Sinning?

Reading: Romans 6:1-14

Date: 2nd June 2024 (AM)

Have you had any answers to prayer in the last week? Any opportunities to talk to someone about the Lord? Any encouragements from your Bible reading?

Spend a few minutes sharing personal prayer requests and pray for one another.

Read **Romans 6:1-14**

[Leaders, no questions suite every small group. Please adapt them to your own group]

1. Why does the question of **verse 1** arise? Can you put it in your own words/ context?
2. What is Paul's immediate answer in **verse 2**? What further questions does his answer raise for us?
3. Read **verses 3-10**. What has taken place in the past in the lives of Christians (i.e. those who have been baptised into Christ)? What will happen to Christians in the future? What does this mean for us in the present?
4. In the light of all this, how do Paul's instructions in **verses 12-14** make sense? OR When we're faced with temptation how does this passage teach us to battle sin? OR What practical difference should this passage make to us this week?

Prayer

What is one lesson, challenge or encouragement you will take away from this passage? Share it with the rest of the group and pray about it together.