



DISCIPLE GROUP CURRICULUM GUIDE

Run Over by the Grace Train: Grace Can't Be Lost
September 19 & 22, 2024

LEADER NOTES: NEW: If you know someone who is ready to become a disciple group leader, have them fill out our new leader interest form [by clicking here](#). They will receive an email with details on what to do next and their campus Discipleship Minister will contact them.

Fall trimester: August 19–December 8. **New Leader Trainings:** [December 8](#) on campus; [December 9](#) via Zoom.

Leading Well in 7 Minutes or Less: Listen to ALL episodes for free on [Spotify](#) or [Apple](#).

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Arise Together, Mentorship/Sister Ally: Serve as a mentor and show the love of Christ to women coming out of the sex trafficking industry. [Click here for more information](#) and to sign up.

Equip your Disciple Group: Our Equipping Ministry teachers are available to come to your Disciple Group to teach a session on interpreting scripture, world religions, ways to create your testimony, how to disciple your family and more. [Click here for more info](#).

THIS WEEK'S READING PLAN: Download our app for [Apple](#) and [Android](#). Click the "Daily" icon at the bottom of the app for our daily Bible reading plan.

Share Wins, Praises and Prayers: Where did you see God move this week?

Sermon Text: *Psalm 5:9, 10:7; 14:1-3; 22; 36:1; 53; 140:3; Isaiah 53:4; 59:7-8; Malachi 4:5-6; Romans 1:16-18; 3:9-26*

Discussion Questions

Leaders: Please make sure you get to the **action step** every week. There is no pressure to get through all the questions; prayerfully plan your choices for your group.

- **Read *Romans 3:9-26*. What stood out to you in the sermon this week and what did God reveal to you in the Scriptures, maybe for the first time?**
- **Refer to *Romans 3:9-18*. Summarize what Paul is saying about every single one of us.** (*All of us are sinners. We were born under sin. We inherited our sinful nature from Adam and Eve. We must understand our diagnosis to know the cure - Jesus.*)
- **How have you experienced the reality that sin leads to death? (Think about physical death, death of a relationship, death of joy, etc.)**
- **Read *Romans 3:19-20*. What was the point of God giving the law if He knew we could not keep it?** (*The law is a map and a mirror. It shows how we are commanded to live, our sin, the problem with our sin and that we are powerless to fix it. Jesus is the only way for us to have our sins forgiven and be made righteous in the eyes of God.*)
- **Read *Romans 3:21-26*. What does it mean to be justified by God's grace?** (*Justified means to be seen by God "just-as-if-I'd" never sinned. But you can never be good enough on your own. Jesus came to do for you what you could not do for yourself - make you justified and righteous through a relationship with Him. You are saved by grace alone, through faith alone, in Christ alone.*)
- **Why does sin have to be paid for?** (*Because God is holy and just, sin must be paid for. Remember Pastor Joby's story about how unjust it would be for a judge to let the person who killed your loved one go free, without paying for his crime. But, because God is merciful, the payment for sin was delayed. God sent Jesus to pay for all your sins - past, present and future.*)

Action Step

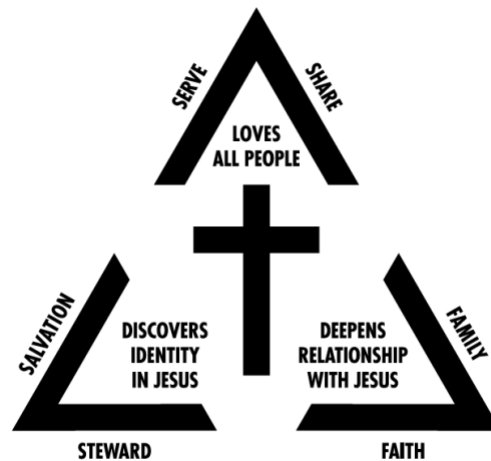
As you go through your week, actively look for opportunities to show the grace of God to others, whether through forgiveness, understanding, or acts of kindness. Remember that just as God freely gives us grace, we are called to extend grace to those around us.

Your Discipleship Journey

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