

Week 3 - Charity

GROUP QUESTIONS

Icebreaker: What is the biggest fight you've ever had with a sibling? What about the best thing you've ever done together?

Charity is generosity, kindness and grace with our opinions of other people and how we evaluate them.
Charity is the glue that holds Christian community together.

Disclaimer: Paul's reference to strong and/or weak is not a reference to one option being more spiritually mature than another, but rather is a reference to the strength or weakness or an individual's conscience and what it will allow.

Read Romans 14:1-6

- The underlying principle of relationships in the church is unity around God as our Father, and us as his children, which makes us brothers and sisters. How have you experienced the benefits of spiritual brothers and sisters supporting and loving you?
- What are some of the indisputable topics of the gospel found in Scripture?

Read Romans 14:7-12

- What relational perspective do we find when we dwell on the idea that we will all one day stand before God as the one and only judge?
- What thoughts go through your head when you read "each of us will give an account of ourselves to God"?

Read Romans 14:13-23

- What are some examples of stumbling blocks or obstacles we may put up in the way of fellow brothers and sisters?
- Verse 19 says "Let us therefore make every effort to do what leads to peace and to mutual edification." What efforts could we make?
- What does it mean that "everything that does not come from faith is sin."?

Read Romans 5:8

- How does seeing God's charity towards us help us with our charity towards others?

NEXT STEPS

OUTREACH PARTNERSHIP
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