

## AROUND THE DINNER TABLE

06/13: John 7:53 -8:11

In this week's passage, we see an example of grace over condemnation.

Describe a time when you were caught in the act of doing something that you knew was wrong. What did you experience as a result of being found guilty of wrongdoing—condemnation or grace?

Which would you rather experience as a result of your wrongdoing—condemnation or grace? Which is easier for you to extend to others when they have wronged you?

Does grace erase the consequences of wrongdoing? Explain why or why not. Cite a specific example from your life or from Scripture.

Read Romans 8:1-2

What does it mean to be free of condemnation in life? How does freedom from condemnation cause you to live life differently this week?

## WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS

Adapted from Rachel Jones' *5 Things to Pray* series.

Father, I pray that as we seek self-control we would have:

### **HOPEFUL EXPECTATION**

Read Titus 2:13

Rejoice that a day is coming when Jesus will appear and you will enjoy living with him in sinless perfection, completely free of temptation, failure and guilt. Ask God to help you live now in light of this "blessed hope."

## NEXT STEPS

### **Interested in Membership, Baptism or Joining a Life Group?**

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## SERMON PASSAGE

### John 7:53 – 8:11 (ESV)

7<sup>53</sup> [[They went each to his own house, 8<sup>1</sup> but Jesus went to the Mount of Olives. 2 Early in the morning he came again to the temple. All the people came to him, and he sat down and taught them. 3 The scribes and the Pharisees brought a woman who had been caught in adultery, and placing her in the midst 4 they said to him, "Teacher, this woman has been caught in the act of adultery. 5 Now in the Law, Moses commanded us to stone such women. So what do you say?" 6 This they said to test him, that they might have some charge to bring against him. Jesus bent down and wrote with his finger on the ground. 7 And as they continued to ask him, he stood up and said to them, "Let him who is without sin among you be the first to throw a stone at her." 8 And once more he bent down and wrote on the ground. 9 But when they heard it, they went away one by one, beginning with the older ones, and Jesus was left alone with the woman standing before him. 10 Jesus stood up and said to her, "Woman, where are they? Has no one condemned you?" 11 She said, "No one, Lord." And Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you; go, and from now on sin no more."]]

## SERMON NOTES

June 13, 2021: Brent Miller

Sermon Series:

*That You Might Have Life: A Journey Through the Book of John*

Passage: John 7:53 – 8:11

### Sermon Notes

## FURTHER STUDY THIS WEEK

### TAKING A CLOSER LOOK

Whether you are meeting with someone this week or you are getting into the Word on your own, we encourage you to work through these questions as you take a deeper look at the sermon passage from this week, or as you dig deeper into the "Read the Bible in Two Years" reading plan that we are currently working through as a church.



1. What are 1-2 things that "shine" from this passage? Whatever impacts the most or draws attention.



2. What are 1-2 things that are difficult to understand in the text, or a question that you would like to ask the writer of the passage or the Lord?



3. What is the central idea of the passage?



4. What are 1-2 personal applications for your own life?



5. With a friend: Find out what is going on in each other's lives. What has been their greatest joy this week? Greatest challenge this week and how they've handled it? What is one area each of you could pray about for each other as it relates to growing with your relationship with the Lord, a spouse, child or friend?

## June Memory Verse

### Psalm 139:14

I praise you, for I am fearfully and wonderfully made. Wonderful are your works; my soul knows it very well.