

5. Our life together at Grace happens through the priority of _____.



Grow Together

Romans 12

Sunday, September 12, 2021

We are living in a time when many are questioning the value and relevancy of the local church. But the New Testament makes it clear that Jesus calls us to LIFE TOGETHER. Over the next 4 weeks we'll see what the Bible teaches about life together and how we aim to live out these truths here at Grace Central Coast.

1. Our life together flows and grows out of the _____.

NEXT STEPS:

- Stick around as the service ends, circle up with those around you and let's practice some "life together" in real time. 1. Introduce yourselves. 2. Share which point in the message was most meaningful or challenging for you today and why. 3. Talk about the joys and challenges of life together. Why is it so hard?
- Commit to a Growth Group this Fall! Growth Group enrollment is happening at every campus and online at gracecentralcoast.org throughout the month. If you are in a Growth Group, reach out to your group and express your commitment and desire to gather.

2. Our life together is _____.

3. Our life together is commanded because we are the _____ of Christ and we _____ to one another.

4. Our life together is never _____, but always a _____.

NEXT WEEK: *Serve Together / Romans 12*



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Growth Groups are the glue that holds our church together, the way we find and follow Jesus together. If you are not involved in a Growth Group, now is the time to jump in at gracecentralcoast.org.

CONNECT *(ask these questions to check-in with your group)*

As you come to your Growth Group this Fall, share what your hopes are for the group. What would be “win” for you? What will you do to see that win achieved?

DISCUSS *(use some of these questions to process God’s Word together)*

1. Read Romans 12 together as a group. How did you “come under” God’s Word in the text and message this week? How were you challenged?
2. Explore and discuss some of the personal and cultural factors that work against our life together in the local church. Why is life together a challenge for YOU?
3. How does Romans 12 teach that “life together flows and grows out of the Gospel?”

4. How does Romans 12 show that “life together is counter cultural?”

5. How does Romans 12 affirm that “life together is never easy, but always a challenge?”

6. Which of the 4 truths from Sunday's message is most meaningful and/or challenging for you?

7. What does leaning in to our life together at Grace mean for you this Fall?

PRAY *(use these prompts to pray in response to God’s Word)*

- Pray for those struggling through Covid. Pray for the elimination of Covid. Pray for God’s mercy to be poured out in the midst of Covid.
- Pray for the growth of our life together at Grace this Fall.
- With Romans 12 in hand, pray for your life together as a group as you pray for one another’s needs.