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John 17.13-19 // August 29, 2021

IN THE WORLD, NOT OF THE WORLD

Jesus prays that His followers would have joy, even though He also mentions that they will be hated by the world. This seems impossible, even laughable, to have joy amid such hardship and pain.

**The key to joy is change.
Not a change of circumstance,
but a change of us.**

WASHED BY THE BLOOD

Sanctification: to be made holy, to be set apart.

Sanctification shares a root with “saint,” someone who has been set apart by God. When the Father chose you and gave you to Jesus to save, He “separated you” from out of the world.

And Jesus says we are sanctified by the truth, which is the Word of God. His Word is not just the “story” of God or about God, but it is so much more than that. It is eternal, holy, pure, righteous, it is living, powerful, unbreakable, it brings salvation, it makes us wise, it is infallible, sufficient, perfect, omnipotent, and so much more. It is the very Sword that the Spirit uses to do battle inside of us, cut out the cancer of sin, and make us new.

Galatians 2.20 // 2 Corinthians 5.17
2 Timothy 3.16, 17 // 2 Corinthians 4.16-18

SANCTIFICATION GUARANTEE

When Jesus buys us, not only does He get a satisfaction guarantee, but He also gets a sanctification guarantee. The cost of our salvation includes not only enough to initially forgive us, but it also purchases for us the power and guarantee that He will change us and sanctify us.

Romans 8.28-30 // 1 Corinthians 6.9-11 // Philippians 1.6

**It is God’s desire to save you, sanctify you, and then send you.
You were saved to be sent.**



NOTES:

This Week’s Scripture to Memorize:

Philippians 4:8

Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.

ARE YOU NEW HERE?

WELCOME TO LIFE MISSION!

We’d love for you to **fill out a Connection Card** so we can welcome you and answer any questions you may have. You can drop it in the offering basket during the service or take it to one of our teammates at the **Connection Booth** outside. Feel free to grab some coffee and snacks in the courtyard and hang out. We hope you’ll **join us next Sunday** and consider making us your church family.

WHAT ABOUT THE KIDS?

Our childrens’ ministry, which we call **Kids on Mission**, has classes for **newborns - 5th grade**. We have a great team of volunteers who have all been screened with background checks for extra security. Each week your child will get to **worship** with their class, followed by an **age-appropriate lesson** that points them towards Jesus and helps root them in the Word of God.

Visit our website to read more about the vision of Kids on Mission and a walkthrough of our curriculum. If you have any questions, email **Amber Willis at amber@lifemission.tv**

JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

Our **6th - 8th graders** begin each Sunday by **worshiping with the adults** and then head to their classroom with their teacher and classmates for the rest of service. Visit our website to read more about our junior high ministry and a walkthrough of our curriculum.

Our **9th-12th graders stay in the service** with the adults because we believe that it is crucial for them to not “graduate the faith” when they graduate high school.

For more information about our Junior High & High School ministries, email **Tyler Willis at tyler@lifemission.tv**.

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COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

Before group starts, who can share the **Memory Verse**?

Read **John 17.13-19**. What stands out in this passage and from the sermon on Sunday?

Preaching the Gospel to Yourself

When you consider that it is the truth, the very Word of God, that sanctifies you, how does that change how you look at the importance of Preaching the Gospel to Yourself every day? What Gospel truth from this passage do you need to be pressed into your heart and mind today?

Your Life Mission

In what ways will you seek to be a blessing to those around you in the coming weeks? Is it someone who is hurting, or someone in your life who doesn't know Christ yet? Which conversations are upcoming that you need prayer and wisdom for as you take part in the Great Commission of our Savior?

End the evening in a time of prayer, praying through the theme of the night using the **P.R.A.Y.** model with your group. Pray for these people you have mentioned and for your heart and plan as you pursue them in love.

- **Preaching the Gospel to Yourself** (Matthew 6.9, 10)
 - Always begin your time of prayer focusing on God's goodness, who He is, and what He has done for us. Pray truths from this week's text.
- **Repent and Confess** (Matthew 6.12)
 - Real repentance begins where blame-shifting stops. Your circumstances don't need to change, your heart needs to change. Confess any particular sin that prevents you from walking out what God calls us to in the text, or any other particular sin you are wanting to fight. Ask Him to help you have strength to repent and run towards Him.
- **Ask for Provision** (Matthew 6.11-13)
 - Ask God for new perspective and for the things that you need. Once our hearts are fixed on Him, we can ask Him to help us with our needs. When your heart is begin filled with the Gospel first, your asking will be far more in line with God's desires and will. Ask Him to work in the relationships in your life that you are hoping to share God's love with.
- **Yield with Thanksgiving** (Matthew 6.10)
 - End your prayer by giving God thanks for His faithfulness and ask Him to help you trust and yield to His work and ways.



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**MAKING DISCIPLES WHO MAKE DISCIPLES LOCALLY AND GLOBALLY,
WHO ARE SAVED, EQUIPPED, AND SENT BY THE GOSPEL.**



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