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HUB GROUP NOTES | FEBRUARY 14, 2021
WALKING IN THE SPIRIT: GALATIANS 5:13-16
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1) As we pray this prayer, “Father, pour out Your Spirit on us and move us forward together,” what are some things God might do in us?

Just allow the group to dream a little.

Read Galatians 5:13-16 in two translations.

2) In Galatians, Paul explains that these young believers in Galatia are freed from the bondage of the Mosaic Law but in verse 13 he explains what they are freed to. What are they freed to?

3) As each of us is perpetually bombarded by disappointing relationships both in the church and outside the church, why are Paul’s exhortations in vs. 13-16 so important?

We often think about how others disappoint us, but the truth is that we are a disappointment to others too.

4) Why is the command to “love your neighbor as yourself” (Lev 19:18, Luke 10:27) a summary of the whole Law?

All of us are in the business of self-preservation. We protect ourselves, protect our self-interest, passionately pursue our personal happiness. None of us has to be taught how to look out for our own interests; we have that covered. Love your neighbor as yourself is a command to use your already existing love of self as a standard in which you love others. You should love others with the same passion you love yourself with.

5) Paul begins with “through love serve one another” (v. 13) and then says, “Walk by the Spirit, and you will not gratify the desires of the flesh” (v. 16). From your own experience, how does the Spirit power your capacity through love to serve one another?

2021 BREAKTHROUGH PRAYER REQUESTS:

Father, pour out your Spirit on us and move us forward together.

Father, please retire the Worship Center mortgage by 2025.

Father, please use us to build a reproducing church among an unreached people by 2030.