

MBC C3 GROUP QUESTIONS
WEEK 4 - 10/31/21

Listen to, Learn about, and Love on one another

Read Luke 23:34. Share a moment you had this week or in the past, when you were convicted through the love of Christ to extend grace by forgiving someone who offended you.

Getting Started with a Warm-Up:

- 1) Reflecting on Pastor Randy's sermon on 10/31/21 about the Lord's supper, share about a significant time when someone forgave you?

- 2) Read Colossians 3:13-14. How do you make allowance, forgive, love, and live in unity with one another?

Getting Down to Business:

The following questions are following this format: Scripture/Observation, Application, and Prayer (SOAP).

1) Scripture/Observation:

- A) Read Ephesians. 4:31-32. What are some ways God's forgiveness has affected your life? What are some ways that you can forgive and still set boundaries?

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B) Read Romans 12:9-10. What is most difficult for you in practicing forgiveness?

2) **Application:** Read Matthew 18:21-35. Describe what is happening in this story.

A. When the king rebuked the unforgiving servant what did he link with forgiveness (v. 33)?

B. What is mercy and how does it differ from grace? (mercy = not getting what you deserve; grace = getting what you don't deserve)

3) **Prayer:** "Lord, thank you for extending grace and mercy toward us when you forgave us of our sin against you. Help us to be conduits of your forgiveness as we deal with those who sin against us. Amen."