

# RENEWED

## PART 3: NEW PURPOSE, NEW MISSION

We are right in the middle of a study about being made new and be renewed through Jesus. The first week we talked about how we do have to be defined by our past, but rather, through God's mercy and faithfulness, we are made new. Last week, we examined why it is necessary to be made new. Outside of Jesus we are broken and damaged, but a new you is possible in Jesus and it is possible NOW! This week we continue to look at the new you and see how this new you give new purpose and new mission!

### EPHESIANS 2:1-10 (pg. 1076)

#### ① New purpose: Grace on Display...

##### EPHESIANS 2:4-7

- ⇒ You are saved by Grace!
  - ⇒ Grace is “unearned favor from God”. It is the opposite of karma: mercy over merit.
- ⇒ God saves you because He chooses to: you didn't earn it. You don't deserve it...that's why you display it!
- ⇒ Jesus lives in you so that He can live out through you!

##### 2 CORINTHIANS 5:15 (pg. 1066)

- ⇒ We live with new purpose! What's a new you without a new purpose?

#### ② New Mission: Walk it Out...

##### EPHESIANS 2:8-10

- ⇒ Here's what we try to do: We invite Jesus into our lives. Here's the problem: Jesus saves us from our old lives! He has a new life that He has prepared for us to walk in!
- ⇒ Stop trying to fit Jesus into your life, and start fitting your life into Jesus!
- ⇒ This is how we put grace on display! It's not about keeping on in the sin we were saved from, just to say that Jesus forgives. That's not how grace works! God's grace gives us new purpose and a new mission that shows others that His grace transforms!
- ⇒ The best part is we don't have to try to figure it out...God has already prepared them for us!

