

What You're Wondering (Part 2)

When we asked what you'd like to hear about on Groundwork, the response was clear...JESUS. Since our purpose is digging into scripture to lay the foundation for our lives, we're happy to share even more about the one who is so central to our faith. Join us to see what scripture says about Jesus, his grace and mercy, and how you can grow in relationship with him through prayer.

AWARENESS Before listening reflect on what you already know or understand about topics we'll cover in the episode.

- What questions do you have about Jesus or his ministry?
- What is your understanding of the purpose of prayer? How and from whom did you learn how to pray?



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READ [Colossians 1:15-18](#), [Titus 2:11-14](#), [Luke 11:1-13](#)

REFLECTION After listening, consider the following questions:

- If you had one minute to describe Jesus to someone, what would you say? What attributes or details do you think are most important to share? What scriptures from this episode did you find especially useful for answering basic questions about Jesus?
- In segment 2, Scott observes that through his kindness, Jesus extends grace and mercy. Think about the people in your life. Who can you extend Jesus' grace and mercy to through your kindness?
- What does it mean to you that God did not wait for you to "clean up your act" before providing grace and mercy through Jesus Christ's death on the cross?
- How is your prayer life? In segment 3, Scott and Dave discuss the importance of simply keeping at our prayer life to maintain and grow in our relationship with God. How do you need to "keep at it" in your prayer life? Spend some time reflecting. Are you making enough time for prayer? Do you need to spend more time praising God or more time listening?

RELATED PASSAGES for further study

[Ephesians 2:19-21](#), [John 1:1-18](#), [Mark 8:27-30](#), [1 Thessalonians 5:16-18](#), [Luke 11:9-13](#)

CONCLUSION

Consider your relationship with God. What are the areas of strength in your relationship with him? Where are the areas of weakness? Identify areas of your relationship in which you would like to grow. Do you need to grow in relationship with Jesus by studying him in the Bible, listening to him, or communicating with him in prayer? Remember your salvation is already complete, you do not have to earn it. God extended you salvation before you even realized you needed it. But just like all relationships, your relationship with God needs attention. Not sure where to start? Begin with Dave's suggestion: make the time to start reading the book of Mark.

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