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Week 6 | Where do we go from here? | Pastor Allen Jessee

Big Idea

This last year has been incredibly difficult for everyone across our world. There has been heartache and loss around every corner and you may have found yourself feeling unable to imagine what those next steps could be. Pastor Allen shared a few ways that we can find some direction as we step into the place God has called us.

Let's Talk

1. Unity filled with Grace - We live in an age of outrage. Lines are drawn and we are bombarded with discord, anger, and division. But there is a different way that we can live. We can choose a path filled with grace. Have someone read Ephesians 4:32 and discuss what it means to offer grace and forgiveness to others.

Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you. Ephesaians 4:32

2. **Mission and Vision -** Our mission and vision statements keep the path clear when there are issues that might distract us from what God has called us to accomplish. Church is more than a building, it's a family! How could you join God to make a difference this week?

3. **Jesus-centered -** Jesus is the object of our worship and the aim of our life. When we center our life around Jesus, we find our purpose and an anchor for our soul. What difference would it make to keep Jesus at the center this week?

Reflect & Respond

Unity is not always easy. In fact, it's usually easier to fight for what we want and push others away. God's grace calls us to go into the world and make disciples, showing that grace to others, and offering forgiveness as we live out the love that we have been given. How can you join God to make a difference this week / month / year?