



Guide

8/28 - 2 Corinthians 4

LOVE

A new commandment I give to you, that you love *one another*... (John 13:34)

- *Internal*: How was your week...anything new?! How is your walk with the Lord? Did you have any opportunities to share the Lord with anyone?
- *External*: Is there any individual or family who is struggling or needs encouragement? How can we pray, encourage, and show love to them?

TRUTH

Let the word of God dwell in you richly, teaching and admonishing *one another*... (Col. 3:16)

1. When you reflect on the message from Sunday, what most resonated with you?
2. Read Chapter 4 together. Let's now look specifically at verse 7. What is the treasure that Paul is speaking of? In what sense are we "jars of clay"?
3. Paul says in verse 16 that "our outer self is wasting away, and our inner self is being renewed." What is Paul communicating to us here?
4. Paul continues to emphasize the "seen and the unseen." When you think about your daily life and your interactions with people, would you say that you ever give thought to the "unseen"? How could we wisely consider the "unseen" more often?
5. How does this text challenge you? How does it affect your daily life?
6. How might you share this passage/truth with someone else? A child? A family member?

GREAT COMMISSION

Go therefore and make disciples of all nations... (Matt. 28:19-20)

- How are we doing as a group with the Great Commission?
 - Is there anyone that needs the community of our church or this group?
 - Is there anyone who needs to hear what we learned today in God's word?
 - Does anyone need a "refresher" on how to share the gospel?

PRAYER/REPENTANCE

But exhort *one another* every day, as long as it is called "today,"... (Heb. 3:12-14)

- Without getting too specific, is there anything you want to repent of before the group? [apathy, idolatry, selfishness, jealousy, anger]
- Let's confess our shortcomings to the Lord and pray what we have learned in God's word.