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The BuildingUp Podcast

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Episode 130: Addressing Regret

Upcoming Events

For Details: info@agapepinson.com

GROW Discipleship Groups

Youth Girl's Group: July 17th 1:00pm **Youth Group:** July 9th 5:00pm

Men's Group: July 12th 6:30pm **Ladies' Group:** July 13th 7:00pm

*Students are welcome at all adult small groups. Visit **Groups / Building Community** on our church app for a full list of our discipling communities.*

School Supply Giveaway – Sat July 29th. Sign-up on back table.

Baby Shower – TODAY after worship, in honor of Estela Franco.

Youth Small Group – TONIGHT, 5:00pm at the Darden's.

Men's Fellowship & Dinner – THIS WED July 12th, 6:30pm at Agape.

Ladies Fellowship – THIS THUR July 13th, 6pm @SpareTime Trussville

Youth Girl's Swim Day – July 17th, 1- 5pm in Pinson. See Josey or Kadie

5th Sunday Fellowship – July 30th after worship, Food & Fellowship + Cornhole tournament for ages 13 and up.

If the LORD leads you to give as part of worship, you can use the offering box in our main worship area.

You can also give on our **website or Church Center app.**

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Sunday Morning

Worship Service Guide

July 9, 2023

A Reading From

1 Peter 3 (ESV)

¹³ Now who is there to harm you if you are zealous for what is good?

¹⁴ But even if you should suffer for righteousness' sake, you will be blessed. Have no fear of them, nor be troubled, ¹⁵ but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect, ¹⁶ having a good conscience, so that, when you are slandered, those who revile your good behavior in Christ may be put to shame.

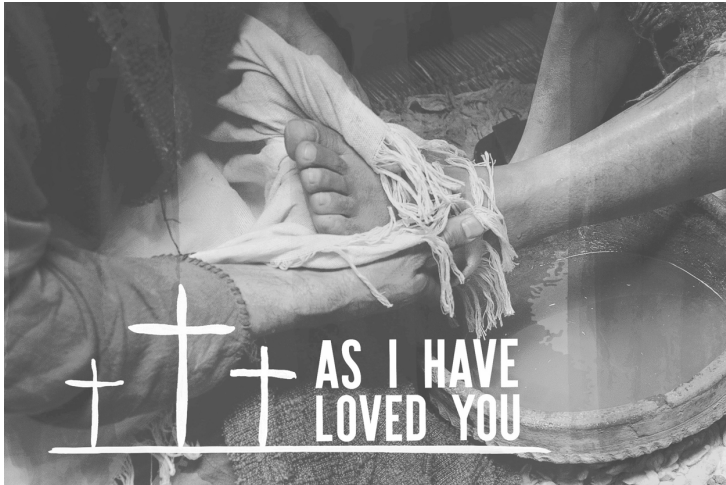
¹⁷ For it is better to suffer for doing good, if that should be God's will, than for doing evil.



Scripture: 1 Peter 3:15

Father, may we be a church that honors Christ alone as supreme. May there be harmony among us, as we abide with Him and learn His life.

Email Prayer Requests to prayer@agapepinson.com



Harmony in HIM

David McConnell

Sermon Text

Romans 15 (ESV)

¹ We who are strong have an obligation to bear with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves. ² Let each of us please his neighbor for his good, to build him up. ³ For Christ did not please himself, but as it is written, "The reproaches of those who reproached you fell on me." ⁴ For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, that through endurance & through the encouragement of the Scriptures we might have hope. ⁵ May the God of endurance & encouragement grant you to live in such harmony with one another, in accord with Christ Jesus, ⁶ that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

⁷ **Therefore welcome one another as Christ has welcomed you, for the glory of God.**

Life-Truth: If you want to test the maturity of your fellowship with Christ then consider how willing you are to _____ Christians who have _____ you **OR** are the most _____ yourself.

- We are to welcome fellow believers without _____. (James 2:1, Romans 15:1, Romans 14: 1-6, 17)
- We are to _____ with one another like a _____ we owe. (v1, Romans 13:8)
- We are to _____ for one another's joy. (v2, Romans 14:13-15)
As we strengthen the weak...
 - We _____ with the _____ of Christ. (v3)
 - We _____ the _____ of God. (v4-5a)
 - We build up the church, by which we are _____.

The more (or less) harmony - _____ - we have with Jesus, the more (or less) harmony we will have with _____. (v5-6) How do we battle division and disconnection? _____ Jesus better, _____.

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2. Once inside the app, search for **Agape Pinson**
3. Choose the option called **This is My Church** and then follow the instructions to register

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