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**The BuildingUp Podcast** (Also on our church app): *What is the relationship between a Christian and works?* Episode #91

**Upcoming Events**

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**GROW Discipleship Groups**

**Men's Group** (Ages 13+)

Wed May 4<sup>th</sup> 6:30pm at Agape

**Ladies' Group** (Ages 13+)

Mon May 2<sup>nd</sup> 6:30pm @ Tamara's

**GROW for Youth** - We are starting a new small group for youth age students to help equip them to follow Christ in submission to God's word and to build godly relationships with one another. The first gathering is **TODAY at 5pm (@ Agape)**. Parents are welcome to come if they like.

**Reading the Wise Sayings** - As part of our **Wisdom & Folly** series, we want Agape to read through the **Wise Sayings of Proverbs** together. Each week we will invite you to read 2 chapters while praying for God to give you insight into their meaning & how you can apply them to your life. This week we will be reading **Proverbs chapters 10 & 11**.

**Spring Offering 2022** - ONE WEEK remains for this year's Spring Offering (May 8<sup>th</sup>). 10% of the offering will go to missions. The remainder will be used on building projects, such as redoing our sanctuary floor & stage. Please mark your gift on our church app or cash/check as '**Spring Offering 2022**'.

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**

May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

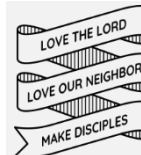
**A Reading From**

James 3 & 4 (ESV)

<sup>13</sup> Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom.

<sup>14</sup> But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. <sup>15</sup> This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. <sup>16</sup> For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. <sup>17</sup> But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. <sup>18</sup> And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace.

<sup>4</sup> ...Whoever wishes to be a friend of the world makes himself an enemy of God. <sup>5</sup> Or do you suppose it is to no purpose that the Scripture says, "He yearns jealously over the spirit that he has made to dwell in us"? <sup>6</sup> But he gives more grace. Therefore it says, "God opposes the proud but gives grace to the humble." <sup>7</sup> Submit yourselves therefore to God. Resist the devil, and he will flee from you. <sup>8</sup> Draw near to God, and he will draw near to you...



**Prayer Focus Text:** *James 3:17*

*Ask that the LORD would make Agape a wise church. Pray against wordliness in us and ask God for the fruit of wisdom to be evident among our people.*

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## Walk in Peace

David McConnell

### Sermon Text

Proverbs 3 (ESV)

<sup>13</sup> Blessed is the one who finds wisdom, and the one who gets understanding, <sup>14</sup> for the gain from her is better than gain from silver and her profit better than gold. <sup>15</sup> She is more precious than jewels, and nothing you desire can compare with her. <sup>16</sup> Long life is in her right hand; in her left hand are riches and honor. <sup>17</sup> Her ways are ways of pleasantness, and all her paths are peace. <sup>18</sup> She is a tree of life to those who lay hold of her; those who hold her fast are called blessed. <sup>19</sup> The LORD by wisdom founded the earth; by understanding he established the heavens; <sup>20</sup> by his knowledge the deeps broke open, and the clouds drop down the dew. <sup>21</sup> My son, do not lose sight of these— keep sound wisdom and discretion, <sup>22</sup> and they will be life for your soul and adornment for your neck. <sup>23</sup> Then you will walk on your way securely, and your foot will not stumble. <sup>24</sup> If you lie down, you will not be afraid; when you lie down, your sleep will be sweet. <sup>25</sup> Do not be afraid of sudden terror or of the ruin of the wicked, when it comes, <sup>26</sup> for

the LORD will be your confidence and will keep your foot from being caught. <sup>27</sup> Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due when it is in your power to do it. <sup>28</sup> Do not say to your neighbor, “Go and come again, tomorrow I will give it”—when you have it with you. <sup>29</sup> Do not plan evil against your neighbor, who dwells trustingly beside you. <sup>30</sup> Do not contend with a man for no reason, when he has done you no harm. <sup>31</sup> Do not envy a man of violence and do not choose any of his ways, <sup>32</sup> for the devious person is an abomination to the LORD but the upright are in his confidence.

### Reminders:

Knowledge is: \_\_\_\_\_

Understanding is: \_\_\_\_\_

Wisdom is: \_\_\_\_\_

**Life-Truth:** Wisdom results in \_\_\_\_\_. (v17)

### The Wise Walk in Peace

Peace with \_\_\_\_\_. (v18-20)

Peace \_\_\_\_\_. (v21-26)

Peace with \_\_\_\_\_. (v27-32)

- The wise are \_\_\_\_\_.
- The wise do no \_\_\_\_\_.
- The wise refuse \_\_\_\_\_.

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1. Install the **Church Center App** from your phone’s app store
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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