



FULLNESS

Key Texts

2 Corinthians 5:16-21; 10:5

Ephesians 1

Talking through the message during the week helps turn what God is saying into action steps. Get connected with some folks who will listen and dig into the word together.

Jesus Creed

Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one.

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.'

The second is this: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'

There is no commandment greater than these."

- Have you been reading, reciting, praying the **Jesus Creed** this month?
- Remember that *shema* means hear and obey.
- How has it been shaping your thinking?
- Have you been praying along with the 21 days of Prayer?
- How has been entering into that been shaping your prayers?

Reflection Questions

- How would you define "spiritual pornography"?
- Why do you think Christians sometimes get trapped into spiritual pornography?
- Why do we prefer the fake to the real?
- Do we believe **Ephesians 1:3**? How is that belief seen in the way you live?
- Why do you think ingratitude is a sign of not believing Ephesians 1:3?
- How do you respond to the statement "Cultivating gratitude – practicing – noticing - choosing it – is a fundamental missional posture"?

Read **2 Corinthians 5:16-21**

- What does this mean? How would you paraphrase this?
- What does it mean to "*become the righteousness of God*"?
- What does it mean to settle? How do we [you] settle?
- Why is it so important that we obey **2 Corinthians 10:5**?
- What does it look like to do this?

This week

- Continue to read, recite, pray the **Jesus Creed** every day (maybe several times a day).
- Follow the **21 Days of Prayer** as you pray this week.