

The Prodigal Son

“ Are You on the Right Path? ”

1. The Son who Runs

2. The Son who Resents

3. The Son who Redeems



Grow Group Discussion Questions

A grow group is 8-16 people who get together weekly to study God's word and the previous Sunday's message. There is a time of discussion, support, encouragement, and learning how the message applies to daily life. **PCC uses the ESV (English Standard Version).**

HOW DO I JOIN A GROUP?

To learn more or join a group, visit pacificcoastchurch.org/gg/ or sign up at the patio Info Kiosk.

GROW GROUPS ARE CURRENTLY ON SUMMER BREAK

Daily Devotions

These are provided for mid-week personal spiritual growth. Prayerfully writing out your answers will help you experience real life transformation as you dig deeper into the spiritual truths of God's word and today's message.

A downloadable PDF of this document is also available each week at pacificcoastchurch.org/sermons.

MONDAY // Read: Luke 15:11-13, Jeremiah 2:13

- Where do you see yourself in the younger son's desire for independence?
- In what ways do you tend to seek the gifts of the Father without wanting the Father Himself?
- How does the gospel offer you grace when you find yourself distant from God?

TUESDAY // Read Romans 1:21-25, Genesis 1:26-27

- What happens when you disconnect your identity from your Creator?
- Where do you see the effects of culture that wants the benefits of God but not God?
- How does Jesus restore our true identity as beloved children of God?

WEDNESDAY // Read Luke 15:25-30, Matthew 23:27-28

- Are there ways in which your obedience to God is more about earning than loving?
- Do you ever feel bitterness or condemnation when others receive blessings you desire?
- How does the gospel free you from earning God's love and invite you into joyful relationship with God?

THURSDAY // Read Isaiah 29:13, Psalm 51:16-17

- What's the difference between repentance from bad behavior and repentance from self-righteousness?
- When have you "honored God with your lips" while your heart was far from Him?
- How does the gospel assure you that God welcomes broken hearts, not perfect people?

FRIDAY // Read Hebrews 2:11-12, Galatians 4:4-7

- How does it grow your love for Jesus to see Him as your elder brother who sought you out?
- In what ways has Jesus paid the cost for your return to the Father?
- How does the gospel invite you to rest in what Jesus has done, not what you must do?

SATURDAY // Read Luke 15:31-32, Revelation 19:6-9

- Are there areas of your heart that are standing outside the feast, like the elder brother?
- What tends to keep you from receiving grace fully? Shame, pride, fear, performance?
- How does the gospel assure you that there's always a seat at the Father's table because of Jesus?

<p>MEDITATION VERSE: ⁵ he saved us, not because of righteous things we had done, but because of his mercy. He saved us through the washing of rebirth and renewal by the Holy Spirit... Titus 3:5</p>
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