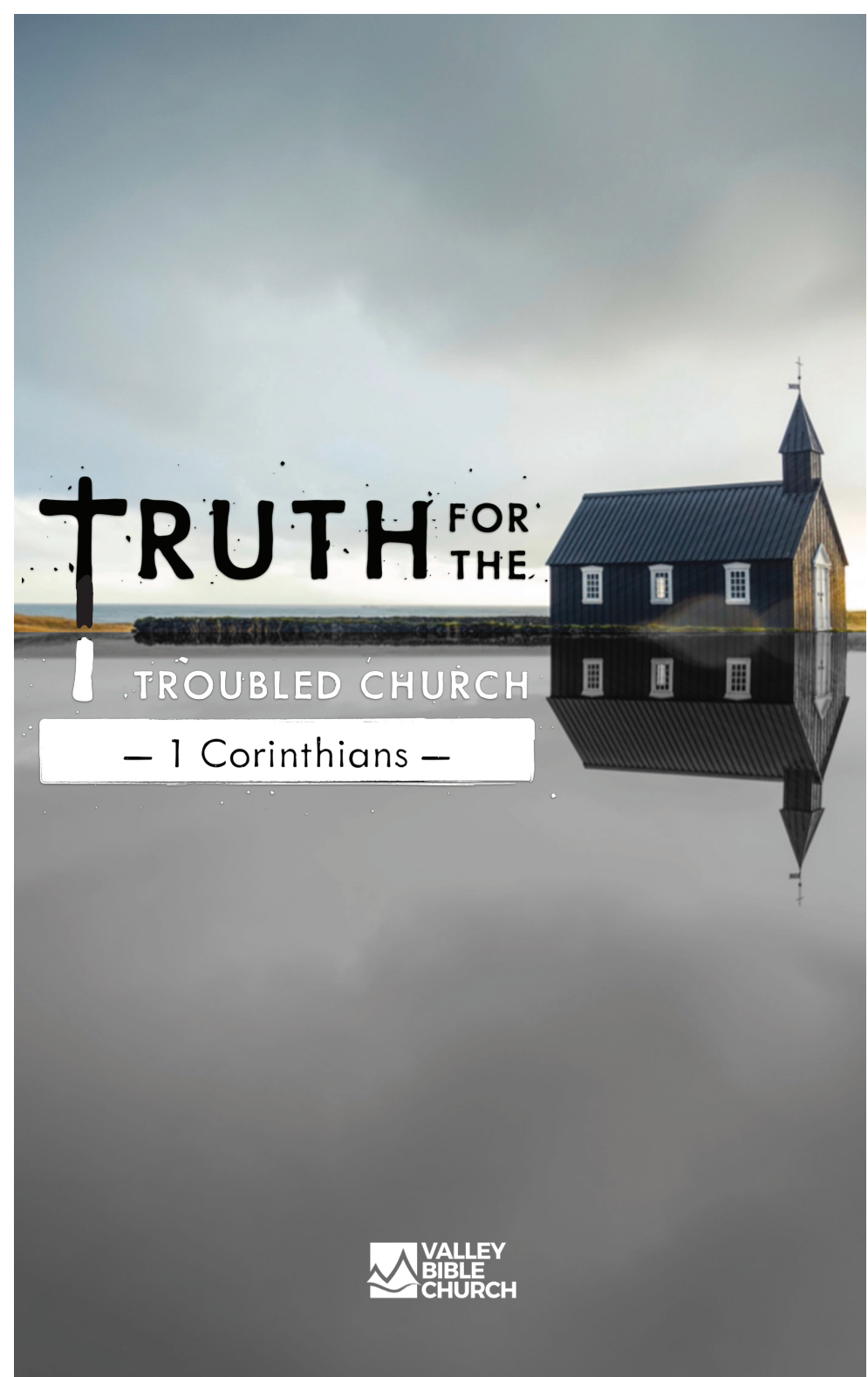


Week of February 27, 2022

1. Thinking back on this week's sermon, was there anything you heard for the first time or that caught your attention, challenged, or confused you?
2. Is it possible for a Christian to be a "man of flesh" (vs 1)? Why or why not? Reference other passages of Scripture for help, such as Romans 7:14-8:14, 1 John 1:5-10, Galatians 2:20, and Ephesians 4:22-24.
3. Paul speaks of spiritual "milk" and "solid food" (vs 2). If there was a third category, called spiritual 'junk food', what kinds of things would fit that description? Which of the three do you consume the most of?
4. How can we apply the lessons of milk and solid food to evangelism?
5. Paul lists jealousy and strife as fruit of the flesh (vs 3). Use other passages to provide additional examples of living in the flesh.
6. How can we be inspired and led by people God has gifted as teachers and leaders without falling into the spiritual immaturity Paul speaks of in verses 4-5?
7. What is the "reward" Paul references in verse 8?
8. How spiritually mature would you say you are? How has that changed in the last three years?
9. Write three specific, measurable goals for someone who wants to grow in spiritual maturity. Look to passages like 1 Peter 2:1-2, James 1:22, Galatians 6:1-2, and Ephesians 4:11-16 for help.



SPIRITUAL MATURITY

1 Corinthians 3:1-9 / Dr. Mike Powell / February 27, 2022

3:1 Paul could not address them as _____ Christians.

3:1-4 Paul had to address the Corinthians as those who were "_____".

3:5-9 Paul and Apollos were not competitors, but _____ in God's field.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

UPCOMING EVENTS

Visit spokanevbc.org/events for events and more details.

- Congregational Meeting, March 20
- NICS Class March 24-26
- Men's Retreat, April 22-24
- VBC Spring Clean-up Day, May 7
- Church in the Park, June 12

FREE NICS CONFERENCE

The Northwest Institute of Christian Studies is pleased to invite you to a free conference, **The Lord Our God**, coming up **March 24-26** focusing on a deeper understanding of the God we worship. Join us for this weekend of sound teaching as we welcome back Dr. E.D. Burns. He brings his insights as a scholar and his passion as a global minister of the Gospel to help us know and appreciate more the character and the work of the Triune God. Visit spokanevbc.org/events to register.

9 AM SERVICE IN ROOM 130 (MASKS REQUIRED)

The 9 am service in room 130 is available to anyone. All attendees of this service are required to wear a mask.

2 NEW ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

Starting on March 13, we have two new Adult Sunday School classes. In the 9 am service, Rick King will teach *The Book of Acts: Exploring the spoken word and sovereign work of the Holy Spirit in the early church*. In the 10:45 am service, Allan Snodgrass will teach *Faithfulness, Movements, & Mistakes*. Strengthening our personal walk with Jesus by exploring the heroes, events, and errors of the past. Applying lessons of church history to my Christian walk today.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING

Join us for our Congregational Meeting on March 20 at 6 pm. Light refreshments will be available.



SAFETY TEAM

A ministry dedicated to facilitating a safe worship environment and experience. The safety team is on a rotating schedule of Sunday morning service, along with occasional special events. The team consists of mature believers over the age of 18 who attend ongoing group training and must pass a required background check.

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