Good News
Two Ways to Be Human

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Romans 5:12-21

Big Idea: The Gospel is Good News that offers a new way to be human.

1. The Way of Adam submits to the ***reign of death*** – the Way of Jesus submits to the ***reign of life.***

2. The Way of Adam leads to God's ***condemnation*** – the Way of Jesus leads to God's ***justification.***

3. The Way of Adam ends in ***death*** – the Way of Jesus ends in ***eternal life.***

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Sermon questions

We're in a series in the book of Romans called Good News where we are studying the many ways that the gospel is good news for everyone. This week, our passage is **Romans 5:12-21**, and we learn that the gospel is good news that offers a new way to be human.

Use these questions to discuss the message from Sunday, focusing on how you can **grow** as an everyday follower of Jesus and how you can **go** accomplish what Jesus calls you to do.

1. After reading this passage and listening to the message, what differences between the way of Adam and the way of Jesus are most impactful to you?

2. Have someone read vs. **15-17**. The word *gift* is repeated five times here. What is the gift? What aspects of God's gift to us through Christ are future only and which aspects are experienced today?

3. Have someone read vs. **12** and **18-19**. How does Adam's sin affect you today? Does it seem fair that God would let you be affected by the consequences of Adam's sin?

4. Read vs. **20-21**. How would you explain these verses in your own words? How do you need to **grow** in your belief of God's abounding grace for you right now?

5. In what ways are you pulled by the world around you into the way of Adam? As you **go** into the world to represent the way of Jesus, what aspect of following Jesus today is most difficult for you and requires the highest degree of dependence on the Spirit?