

The series *Together: Responding to His Great Love* is foundational to our new beginning at PCC. By studying 12 springs from the well of God's unlimited love in the Book of 1 John, our hope is that it would empower us to love ourselves and others more, as we seek His future direction. This week, we focus on how God's love provides us with grace and compassion for ourselves and others.

#1

In the last week, how did you receive and/or release the love of God? If not, what could you do to position your soul more to do so?

#2

Spiritual Practice: Lectio Divina with 1 John 3:11-24

What stands out to you (words, phrases, themes) after the 2nd or 3rd time you read through it?

#3

Have you ever experienced active grace and compassion in your own life? What was it like? How did it make you feel?

#4

How can you express active grace and compassion to others around you this day/ week/ month?

#5

Who are you going to grab ice cream with this week, and sit and chat about 1 John 3:18?

Resources to help you receive and release His Great Love

FOCUS

Breath Prayer

Inhale: Help me to receive your love Exhale: Help me to release your love

REFLECT

Lectio Divina: 1 John 3:11-24— try this 3 times this week

Daily Examen: Today, how did I receive the love of God and how did I release it?

WATCH & READ

Video: *The Chosen* — see the love of Jesus

Kids: What is a Christian? Journey through 1 John. Access through Right Now Media.

Kids: Have You Filled a Bucket Today? (book)