

# Welcome to Grace

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Happy Sunday!

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## HOW TO BE HUMAN: WORK

### WORK IS PART OF GOD'S DESIGN

Genesis 2:15

Work existed before sin, it's part of how God created us.

We reflect God when we create, build, serve and care for what He's given us.

**Where have you started to believe work is just something to get through instead of something God designed?**

### WORK IS NOT A CURSE, BUT IT IS AFFECTED BY IT

Genesis 3:17

Work itself is good, but now it comes with toil, frustration and "thorns."

The tension we feel in work isn't the design, it is the result of a broken world.

**How have the challenges in your work shaped the way you view it?**

# OUR WORK IS IMITATION AND WORSHIP

Colossians 3:23

"Whatever you do" means every kind of work matters to God.

We don't just reflect God through work, we worship Him through it.

**What would it look like to approach your everyday work as an act of worship?**

## WE GET OFF TRACK WHEN WORK BECOMES EVERYTHING OR NOTHING

Idleness → believing what you do doesn't matter, so you disengage.

Idolatry → making work your identity, value or ultimate pursuit.

**Which extreme do you tend toward - avoiding work or overvaluing it - and why?**