



WELCOME TO CEC..... Bex Kent
SINGING TOGETHER Our God is greater (Water you turned into wine)
As I rise (Christ be all around me)

PRAYER
SINGING TOGETHER Grace
UPDATES Pastor Phill
SINGING TOGETHER This is our God (Your Grace is enough)
BIBLE READING Psalm 145:1-21 (Church Bible page 682)
MESSAGE Taught by Pastor Phill
SINGING TOGETHER Amazing Grace (My chains fell off)



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How to understand God's Grace.

Psalm 145:1-21

'The Lord is gracious and compassionate, slow to anger and rich in love.'
Psalm 145:8 NIV

1. Grace is God's _____ to me.

'All of us need to be made right with God by His grace, which is a free gift through Jesus Christ.' Romans 3:24 NCV

2. Grace is received by _____.

'For it is by grace that you have been saved, through faith – and this is not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – not by works, so that no one can boast.' Ephesians 2:8-9 NIV

'People receive God's promise by having faith. This happens so that the promise can be a free gift.' Romans 4:16 NCV

3. Grace is available to _____.

'The promise is not only for those people that live under the law of Moses. It is for anyone who lives with faith like Abraham.'
Romans 4:16 NCV

'Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved.'
Romans 10:13 NIV

4. Grace comes through _____.

'The law was given through Moses, but grace and truth came through Jesus Christ.' John 1:17 NCV

'Many people have received God's gift of life by the grace of the one man, Jesus Christ.' Romans 5:15 NCV

'Don't treat the grace of God as meaningless. For if we could be saved by keeping the law, then there was no need for Christ to die.'
Galatians 2:21 NLT

5. Grace is extended throughout _____.

'The wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord.' Romans 6:23 NLT

'The Lord longs to be gracious to you.' Isaiah 30:18 NIV



1. According to Romans 3:24, what has Jesus given us?
 - Discuss what justification and redemption mean.
 - What are examples of things people think they should do to earn God's approval?
 - How does understanding God's grace liberate us?
2. Read Ephesians 2:8–9. How do we receive God's free gift?
 - What does it mean to receive God's gift through faith?
 - What does this verse say is the reason God gives us his grace as a free gift instead of something we work for?
3. Romans 4:16 speaks about how we receive salvation. Why is the issue of faith and grace so important to our obtaining salvation?
 - Read 2 Samuel 9:1–13 and Luke 15:11–32 to see examples of grace being given as a totally free gift. Discuss the personal circumstances of the recipients at the time the gift was offered to them.
 - When we receive God's gift by faith, we become members of his family. What are some of the blessings we can enjoy as members of this family?
4. Who will be saved according to Romans 10:13?
 - Why do some people think they are not 'good enough' for heaven?
 - Sharing the Good News of salvation is our mission. How can understanding grace help us present this message to unbelievers?
5. Who has brought the gift of grace to us according to John 1:17 and Romans 5:15b?
 - Why is Jesus Christ the only way to heaven?
 - The Bible often speaks of believers being in Christ. How does this describe the way God sees us?
6. What is God's free gift in Romans 6:23?
 - How does knowing that we have eternal life change our perspective of life here on earth?
 - What things might people do differently if they truly believe they have eternal life?

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