

Youth Discussion Guide

For the week of July 22-28, 2018

Main Scriptures:

"But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well." (Matthew 6:33)

"For it is by grace 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)

"You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly...But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:6,8)

Main Lesson:

- The statement "God helps those who helps themselves" is not entirely true.
- God helps the helpless and we experience His help when we rely on Him.
- Grace is unearned and undeserved love from God through Jesus Christ.
- Before we seek to help ourselves, we need to seek His kingdom and righteousness through obedience and faith.

Discussion Questions:

- Share a time when you needed help with something.
- What is one thing you need spiritual help with right now?
- Who is one person you can spiritually help?

Prayer:

- Pray we would make an impact on our campuses and in our families.
- Pray for that one person you mentioned during discussions.

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