

Judges

Samson, Part 2

*Judges 16:1-31 Kirk Greenstreet
August 7, 2022*

1. The Danger of Growing Confident in our Own Abilities

2. Arrogance before the Fall

3. God Shows Grace even when We are Unfaithful

QUICK REVIEW

Thinking about this week's teaching, was there a particular point, verse or comment that caught your attention, challenged you, or raised a question?

DIGGING DEEPER

How can God's blessings in your life lead you to forget God?

How can adversities in your life lead you closer to God?

Where in your life do you need to rely on God's grace instead of your own strength? How would doing this change your actions and increase your joy?

How are you feeling weak today? It is God's strength that matters—how will knowing that enable you to have peace and purity in your weakness?

How have you seen the Lord working through your sin, or someone else's sin? How does this lead you to praise Him?

Why is it exciting and liberating, as well as humbling, to know that God works through flawed people?

PARENTS & GRANDPARENTS

How can you teach your children and grandchildren to view their weaknesses differently? How can you model relying on God's strength instead of your own?

THIS WEEK

Service Project: The Children's Ministry is sponsoring a Summer Service Project for all children ages 4-17. Our desire is to see Jesus glorified in our neighborhoods and community through acts of love and service. Pick up a booklet from the children's check in kiosk to learn more. Turn in the completed booklet to Courtney Neuber by September 1st for a prize.

IN COMING DAYS

Prayer Gathering: Join us on Sunday, August 14th for our evening of praying to our great God and Father. We'll meet at 5 pm for dinner, and then spend an hour in prayer. Childcare is provided. No need to sign up, just come!

Mark Your Calendars: Not to be confused with a Hotdog Cookout, our annual Church in the Park will be August 28th. This is a great opportunity to invite your friends, family, and neighbors to join us and hear about the love of Jesus. Stay tuned for more details.

Radix: What do we believe? Why do we believe it? These are the "rad" questions we explore in Radix, a gathering of 4th and 5th graders every other Thursday night from 6:30-8pm. We will kick off this year with an ice cream party on August 11th. Parents are also invited to meet the leaders, play games, and learn more about our study, the New City Catechism. For more information, contact Courtney Neuber at courtney@wpcchurch.org.



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Are you new here? Don't let all the unfamiliar faces scare you away. Go to our Welcome Kiosk where there's someone to tell you a little more about us, and we've even got a gift for you!

Connection Challenge: This week, remember that School will be beginning soon! Take some time to pray for a teacher, administrator, or school board member you know, then call or text to (only) encourage them.

Looking for a way to serve? Have you peeked in the Children's Wing lately? There are many small hearts eagerly learning about Jesus. Would you like to help? Contact Courtney Neuber: courtney@wpcchurch.org.

Workers of the Month: Please pray for Matt & Jonna as they serve with the Navigators in Asia.

Monthly Giving Goal: \$103,333

August Giving-to-Date: \$30,362