

**SERMON:** God Has Spoken

July 21, 2019

**SERIES:** N/A

**SPEAKER:** Pastor Chris Spano

**THE GOAL:** The primary goal of a small group at Grace is to develop a Christian community where Jesus is experienced through the gospel.

**ACCOUNTABILITY QUESTIONS:** Use these questions to explore how God is at work in our families, communities, workplaces, and church.

1. Where have you seen God at work in your life this week?
2. What temptations have you been facing this week? How is God delivering you?
3. How have you experienced God's grace this week?
4. In what ways are you growing in your love for God?
5. In what ways are you growing in your love for others?
6. Have you started or stopped something this week just because you love Jesus?

**SCRIPTURE:** Psalm 19

**SERMON OUTLINE:** I. God has spoken to us in nature. II. God has spoken to us in scripture. III. How we must respond

**REVIEW:** Use these questions to better understand and apply the passage/sermon.

**Observation:** as a group talk through and summarize the passage. Think through Who, What, Where, When, How, Why questions together.

**Interpretation:** answer these questions together:

1. What does this passage teach us about God?
2. What does this passage teach us about us (mankind)?
3. What does this passage teach us about salvation/grace?
4. How does this passage point to Christ?

**Application:** answer these questions together:

1. How does this passage convict you? Encourage you? Inspire you?
2. What specific truth do you see about God (his grace? love? holiness?) and how would your life be different if you really believed it?
3. By God's grace, what commitments do you need to make this week? Or, what do you need to start obeying/believing?

**GO DEEPER:** Use these questions to go deeper into the passage, minds, and hearts.

1. Read Psalm 19:1-6 and Romans 1:18-24. How have you found God's creation to encourage your worship of God?

Where have you found yourself worshipping God's creation rather than God?

2. Read Psalm 19:7-11. What do we learn about scripture here? What is your relationship with scripture? Do you see it the way the psalmist does? Why or why not?

3. How is Psalm 19:11 bad news? How is Psalm 19:12 good news? How do verses 11-14 point us to Christ?

Prayer: Praise God for his revelation through nature, scripture, and Christ. Confess ways that you have carelessly thought or spoken about God. Ask God to allow you to respond to his revelation in the cross of Christ each day.