



Romans 5:1-21 | Week 6 | 3/9/2014

1. How do people decide who they are going to be friends with and share their lives with?
2. What words would people use to describe a group that they would want to be friends with?
3. What words describe the people Jesus died for? (5:6-11)
4. How is the love of Jesus different than any other human love? (5:7-8)
5. Why is it hard to love like Jesus?
6. Read this quote: "My life is a witness to vulgar grace — a grace that amazes as it offends. A grace that pays the eager beaver who works all day long the same wage as the grinning drunk who shows up at ten till five...This vulgar grace is indiscriminate compassion. It works without asking anything of us. It's not cheap. It's free, and as such will always be a banana peel for the orthodox foot and a fairy tale for the grown-up sensibility. Grace is sufficient even though we huff and puff with all our might to try to find something or someone that it cannot cover. Grace is enough..." - Brennan Manning
7. How is grace "vulgar?" Why is grace a "banana peel" to some and a "fairy tale" to others? How has grace changed you?
8. Pray.