Marking Territory – Part Two Romans 12:14-21 June 26, 2022

Genuine Love

Non-Conformist

Engaging the World (v, 14-16)

Responding to the World (v. 17-19)

Responding to Your Enemy (v. 20-21)

A Call to Engage: Live for the good, Live for God

Beyond Sunday...

Verse of the Week

"Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good." Romans 12:21

Our theme for 2022 is FOR THE SAKE OF THE WORLD. Jesus commission to us is "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation." Mark 16:15

This week engage in God's Word and explore the following passages that focus on our engagement with the world around us from a Christ-like perspective.

Monday – Matthew 5:38-42, Matthew 7:12

Tuesday - Matthew 5:43-48

Wednesday – James 2:1-9, Matthew 7:1-5

Thursday - 1 Peter 2:11-12, 1 Peter 3:9

Friday – Matthew 18:15-35, 1 Peter 3:13-17

Saturday - Luke 10:25-37, Luke 12:8-12

Additional reading: Romans 13:1-7 in preparation for next Sunday

ENGAGE

Who do find it hard to love? What behavior or trait in a person makes it difficult to love them? What do you do when your heart is confronted with a difficult situation... when someone is attacking truth... attacking God... attacking your beliefs?? Take the time to think about how you would respond to various situations... plan ahead and then trust God for the right response in the moment.

<u>Challenge:</u> Who has God placed in your life that needs extra love and grace

Ask God to help you love on them this week.