

## BIBLE STUDY: LESSON 16

Scripture of Lesson: John 8: 1~20

### 1. Jesus forgiving of the adulterous woman

- a. Adultery clause: Lev. 20:10, Deut. 22:22 --Both the sinning man and the woman were to be put to death. Why did they bring only the woman and not the man?
- b. How has the sexual morality code changed in our society and what is our response?
- c. What did Jesus write on the ground while they were accusing the woman?
- d. V. 11 "Neither do I condemn thee, go and sin no more." What is God's encouragement today to the sinful humanity? Does God condone sins of today?

### 2. Sin and God's mercy as grace

- a. Does God care less if we sin or not?
  - i. God is a just God. Our sins must be cleansed only through sacrifice offered to God. [Heb. 9: 19~22] "Without shedding of blood is no remission."
- b. The value of Christ's sacrifice—purged our sins by dying once on the cross as our ransom and became our mediator and high priest forever. [Heb. 9: 11~15]
- c. Judgment or grace, which is of priority in modern Christian culture today?
  - i. Jesus Christ was full of grace and truth [John 1:14]

### 3. "Go and sin no more" – repentance as our work

- a. God does His part—showing mercy to us. Our part is to repent and strive to live free of sin.

### 4. Walking in light

- a. V. 12 "I am the light of the world." In what sense is Christ the true light to us?

### 5. Pharisees –zealous for God but working against God

- a. Can we be zealous in our service for God and yet be working against God's will and favor?