

# Christ Through You: Aware & Available

Week 4 | Teacher: JoAnn Hummel Sermon Questions for 3.22.2020

# **Opener**

What was the most significant thing that happened this past week?

### Read

Mark 4:7-19 John 8:31-32

## Diving into the Word

• Do you have a struggle believing or understanding what God is saying in this Scripture? In what way?

## **Diving into the Message**

• Was there something addressed in the message that you had not considered before now? If so, what was it? If not, was there an important or timely reminder that God brought to your attention?

During our Christ Through You series, we will be providing tips and resources to help you pursue your Name in the Wall. We encourage you to discuss this with your small groups. First, pray, asking the Holy Spirit to speak truth and grace to you.

As you heard in the sermon today, spiritual fruit is a natural byproduct of Christ living in and through us. Fruit doesn't have to work hard to grow... it just does. As we allow Jesus to live in and through us, loving our Name in the Wall will come naturally.

# **Next Steps**

Here are some practical steps you can take this week:

Reach out to your name in the wall to see how they're feeling about the current situation.
Listen. Listen. Differ to pray for them and their family and offer any practical help you're able to give.

• Please follow our social media platforms as we will be providing ideas for ways to donate time and materials to serve our community.

#### Tool

As 1 Peter 3:15 tells us, we want to be prepared for any conversation Jesus leads us into that gives us a chance to share the reason for the hope that we have – the Gospel. If you'd like to learn an easy way to share the Gospel with someone using Romans 6:23, <u>click here</u>. Here's a video showing this method <u>click here</u>.

## **Prayer**

Father, please help me to see those around me that need the love of Jesus in word and in action. Remind me that you are still in control of all things and because you love and care for me, I can be a blessing to those around me who don't know you. Give me courage to step into spiritual conversations and give me the words to say. Amen!

#### **Bottom Line**

God invites us to work with him as he tends the soil of our souls, so that his truth flourishes and lies are uprooted.