

Say Whaaa? - Week 1

8/16/20

Bible References:

Romans 15:4

Matthew 15:21-28

1 Samuel 16:7

John 7:24

2 Corinthians 5:6,17

Why is this narrative in the bible?

- To hold up a _____ for us to look into.
- To _____ us to actually _____ something.

Jesus worked to change _____ and to address _____.

Healthy _____ practices:

- Be _____
- Fall _____
- Invest _____

Addressing _____

- _____
- Let us know on our connection card.
- _____
- <https://covenantcommunitycare.org/welcome/get-involved/volunteer/>
- _____
- Contact Lynne at Lynne.Wasiak@4fcc.org
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- Contact Pastor Mike at Pastormike.rice@4fcc.org

Reflection Questions:

- What other passages or stories from the bible make you want to say, "Say Whaaa?"
- How troubling or confusing did you find Jesus' response to the Canaanite woman at first?
- Matthew 15:24 says that "Jesus Answered" but it doesn't specifically say who. What are the chances that Jesus' answer was as much for the disciples as it was the woman?
- In Sunday's message we said, "Anytime, anyone, determines who an individual is based on that person's race, something ugly is happening inside of them. Anytime, anyone, lets their heart grow cold towards the genuine pain of another individual because they disagree with that individual's narrative about life, something ugly is happening inside of them. Anytime, anyone, fails to ascribe to another human being the inherent worth and dignity that is due to them simply because they are made in the image of God, something ugly is happening inside of them."
 - When is a time when you've witnessed one of these kinds of uglies on display in someone else?
 - Do you ever wrestle with any of these kinds of uglies yourself?
- What were the 3 strategies for a healthy heart from Sunday, and which one might you benefit from most?
- What were the 4 strategies for addressing disparities from Sunday, and which one could you participate in?
- Is there something else that you could do that would bring about true change?