

WE ALL FALL SHORT

When We Deny the Glory of God

Romans 1:20-23

God created this world with everything we need in order to understand His power and wonder as the Creator. Yet instead of glorifying God as the Creator, we have denied His glory at every opportunity. This morning we will be challenged to see all the ways we have stripped God of His honor and given it to others.

God _____ the world for the purpose of giving us worthwhile _____.

We failed in our responsibilities.

- We failed to _____ God.
- We traded eternal _____ for _____ darkness.
- We traded God's _____ glory for the world's passing _____.

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Getting Started

1. What is your favorite animal to watch in the zoo?
2. What is the funniest joke you have heard or meme you have seen over the last month?

Digging Deeper

3. Paul speaks of God's invisible attributes in Romans 1:20. What are God's unseen attributes?
4. How should a Christian glorify or honor God in this life?
5. Why do those who claim to be wise so often end up acting and thinking like fools?
6. Read I Cor 9:25; 15:52; I Peter 1:4, 23; 3:4. God is called incorruptible in Rom 1:23. What else in God's plan is or will be incorruptible?

Living It Out

7. Tell us about a small blessing God has shown to you during the quarantine that displays His glory.
8. Where can you travel to in order to go outside this week to enjoy and worship God for His beautiful creation?
9. Who will you call in the church this week to check in on and see how they are holding up?

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When the Wrath of God is Revealed

Romans 1:18-19

We like to see ourselves as those who can work to the end and finish the race and fight the good fight. The sad reality is that every person will short of God’s standard for righteousness and holiness. We need someone else to run the race, so we may reach God’s glory. Paul begins to reveal this morning why we fall short.

**We all fall short because God holds a _____
_____ to all and every _____.**

**We all fall short because our _____
and _____ suppress God’s truth.**

**We all fall short because we deny the _____
revealed _____ of God’s glory.**

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Getting Started

10. What are most looking forward to doing when all the quarantine restrictions are lifted?
11. How many Zoom meetings have people in your household attended over the last month?

Digging Deeper

12. Read II Sam 6:5-8. What drew out God’s anger in this passage? How dangerous is the anger of God?
13. Read II Timothy 2:16. What type of language draws out ungodliness in a church?
14. Read I Corinthians 13:6. What is the loving response to unrighteousness?
15. What do you believe God has made clearly evident about Himself to the world (Rom 1:19)?

Living It Out

16. What can a long time Christian gain by reviewing all the ways men and woman fall short of God’s glory?
17. Why is it good for God to be wrathful or repulsed toward sin?
18. What can we do in these current circumstances to help increase the clear evidence of God’s truth?