

GROWTH GROUP DISCUSSION

CONNECT

- When you think of the word kindness, what comes to mind for you?
- How about the word compassion?

LEARN & APPLY

Read Colossians 3:12-14.

- Which of these things listed are the hardest for you? Why?

Read Luke 6:31, Mark 10:42-44, and Matthew 17:24-27.

- What do we learn about Jesus in these verses?
- How do the things Jesus is teaching look different than the ways the world usually teaches us to act or find success?

Read Romans 12:14:19, Romans 15:1-4, Romans 18:18, Philippians 2:14-15, and Philippians 2:3-8.

- All these are written to the people of the early church. Why do you think it was important for them to hear this message?
- Why might it be important for us today?

PRAY

Lord Jesus, open my eyes to where I have not lived your compassion and kindness for the world to see in me. Help me know that as I am perfectly free in your grace, I am free to love an imperfect world imperfectly in your name. In Jesus' name. Amen.