SERMON GUIDE I JUNE 4, 2023



## **INTRO**

If you were to answer the question, what is wrong with the world, would you agree with GK Chesterton that we are the problem?

## **DISCUSSION**

READ: GENESIS 4:1-10

- 1. After the events of the fall of humanity in Genesis 3 what does Eve say after she gave birth to Cain? (vs. 1) What do you think Adam and Eve's hopes were for Cain as he was the firstborn son?
- 2. How does the bible refer to Cain's sacrifice in vs. 3? How does that differ from the description of Abel's sacrifice in vs. 4? Does that help understand the difference between the sacrifices and why God accepted Abel's? Why or why not?
- 3. How does God describe sin when he speaks with Cain? (vs. 7) How is this warning important for us as we live our everyday life?
- 4. After Cain kills Abel God confronts him in what way? (vs. 9). This is similar to Genesis 3 when God asks Adam where he is. Why do you think God confronts people in this way?

## APPLICATION

What warning or question do you think God would give you? How does communion help us as it relates to sin in our own lives?

## PRAY

Pray for each other as sin is crouching at the door for each of us.

