**READ TITUS 3:1-11**

1. How were you impacted by the sermon or Word like Fire?

2. How should we apply what Paul calls Titus to remind the Cretan church about? For example, what does it mean in your life to not speak evil of someone? (Consider verse 3 for opposite examples)

3. On the page below is a list of possible definitions of the Greek word rendered as "regeneration" in verse 5. Which of the ranges of meaning best fits the context and do you think a person can regenerate themselves, why or why not?

4. What does Paul call profitable and excellent in verse 8 and what are examples where you could do them in your life context?

5. What does Paul call unprofitable and worthless in verse 9? Try to list things in our day and age that fit into the categories Paul mentions. Which of these tend to be effective distractions for you?

6. Why is it so important and urgent to protect the church against those who are being resolutely divisive? What would happen if the church was not protected from such people?

**Prayer Focus:** Let's pray that we would apply the gospel in profitable ways, avoid distractions and be protected from divineness.

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