



**“The Beauty of Repentance”**

Acts 3:11-26

May 19, 2024

Pentecost Sunday

Questions for Application and Fellowship

**SERMON REVIEW**

**Through repentance, God brings:**

1. Total \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Spiritual \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Ultimate \_\_\_\_\_.

Was any point in this weekend’s message or portion of Scripture particularly challenging, encouraging or helpful for you?

Why did God want you to hear this message now?

## DIGGING DEEPER

1. When you think of the word “repentance,” does it carry a negative or positive connotation in your mind? Why? What about the societal level?
2. Reflect on Mark 1:9-15. What is the one sentence summary of the preaching of Jesus? Based on what we’ve learned in the sermon, what is the meaning of his message?
3. We are all capable of “stinking the place up.” Yet our lives and our church can be perpetually refreshed by the gracious movement of the Spirit. Where do you need to confess and repent? How can any of your contributions to Bethel Grace be transformed from a stench to a fragrance.
4. Reflect on II Timothy 1:15-18. How was Onesiphorus a refreshing presence to Paul? What inspiration can you find from the obscure, but precious, brother and example?
5. Jesus was the suffering servant spoken of by Isaiah. Servant is used of him at the beginning and end of this passage (3:13 & 26). Jesus’ humiliation and exaltation came together.
6. Reflect on Zechariah 12:10-13:1 and Romans 9-11, especially Romans 11:25-33. How is the repentance of Israel connected to the return of Jesus? What hope does this give you?