

## WEEK 7 – PROBLEM SOLVED

We started our readings reflecting on “the problem” of sin. We have spent time reflecting on what Jesus has done to solve that problem. This week we finish our readings by looking at Romans 8 and reminding ourselves of some of what we have gained through the death and resurrection of Jesus

2 Apr          Read Romans 8          Reflect on today’s sermon

3 Apr          Romans 8:1-4          Not condemned but free

QU    Why should you rightfully be under God’s condemnation?

QU    Why then is there no condemnation for you if you are “in Christ Jesus”?

4 Apr          Romans 8:5-11    Life in the Spirit

QU    In what ways might we have our minds set on what our flesh desires?

QU    How can we ensure that our minds are set on what the Spirit desires?

5 Apr          Romans 8: 12-17   Children and heirs

QU    How do we become children of God? What does this mean for us?

QU    We are not just children, we are also heirs. What are we heirs of?

6 Apr          Romans 8:18-25   Hope for the future

QU    How does all this help us with the sufferings that we experience in life?

QU    What do you think it looks like for us to wait patiently for this hope?

7 Apr          Romans 8:26-30   Help for today

QU    How are we helped in our weakness? How have you experienced this?

QU    God works for our good “in all things”. What might this look like in practice?

8 Apr          Romans 8:31-39   More than conquerors

QU    In what way are we conquerors? What does that mean in your life?

QU    Do you feel like a conqueror? How might you grow to live in the truth of this?