## SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS MARCH 14, 2021

## PUTTING OFF THE OLD MAN WITH HIS DEEDS COLOSSIANS 3:8-11

## **MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE**

Put off all remaining sin in your life because you are no longer the old man born in Adam but the new man born again in Christ.

- **I.** Put Off Remaining Sin (v.8-9a)
- II. Because You Have Put Off the Old Man (v.9b)
- **III.** Because You Have Put on the New Man (v.10-11)

## **QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION**

- 1. With which of these sins is the Holy Spirit pricking your conscience? Will you respond with repentance?
- **2.** How can putting off these sins be a witness to the world of the power of Christ's transforming grace?
- **3.** How have divisions in society shaped your view of other Christians? What does v.11 teach you about unity in Christ?
- **4.** How is this passage a reminder that our fallen world does not have the knowledge or tools to eradicate racism or other forms of biblically defined injustice?

**FURTHER READING:** Gen 3; Rom 5:19; Rom 6:6; Eph 4:4-6, Eph 4:25; James 1:19; 1 John 1:6