The Sinfulness of Man Series

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Scripture: Romans 1:18-32

Summary: God's Wrath Against Mankind

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Verse 18

18. For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who hold the truth in unrighteousness;

Paul speaks here about the Wrath of God, which we take to mean anger.

Is it right to be angry?

When?

Describe the last time you got angry?

We're you in control?

What was the result?

What do you think God's anger is like?

Why is God's Wrath being revealed?

Verses 19 & 20

19. Because that which may be known of God is manifest in them; for God hath shewed *it* unto them.

20. For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, *even* his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:

Why are men & women "without excuse" before God?

What does Creation say to you about God? Examples.....

Verses 21 - 32.

Do all humans know God?

How can we reconcile this with Galatians 4:8? 8. Howbeit then, when ye knew not God, ye did service unto them which by nature are no gods.

Why is knowledge dangerous?

How is God's Wrath revealed?

- 1.
- 2.
- **3**.

Three stage slide into depravity

1. Verses 21-24

Failed to do what? Leading to?

2. Verses 25 - 27

Failed to do what? Leading to?

3. Verses 28 - 32

Failed to do what? Leading to?

What is the conclusion (God's judgement) on this condition (verse 32)? 32. Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.

Application:

- 1. What sins do you need to work on resisting?
- 2. What do you know about God that would help you keep out of this downward spiral?

(1Cor 10:13)

13. There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God *is* faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear *it*.

Key verses Romans 1: 16 & 17

- 16. For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek.
- 17. For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, The just shall live by faith.