## Suggested Discussion Questions for 3/6/2022 Message: The Tale of 2 Adams (Romans 5:12-21)

- 1. Share a choice or action that you made/did that made a huge difference.
- 2. Based on this passage, how would you explain how sin came into the world and its effect on the world and essential nature of mankind?
- 3. Do your own compare and contrast between the 2 Adams. What do you see? What do you think are the primary implications?
- 4. How does this passage help us understand the thread of redemption that runs from the beginning to the end of the Bible?
- 5. Some people claim this passage teaches universalism that in the end, all people will be saved. What in the passage indicates to you this cannot be the case? What other scriptures support the non-universalism view?
- 6. How does this passage underscore the importance of divine creation? (What problems surface in this passage if man merely evolved without God's creative work?)
- 7. What other passages speak of Jesus as the last Adam? What additional insight or support do they give to Paul's instruction in this text?
- 8. Many people want to believe that man is essentially good. How is that view refuted by this text?
- 9. How does this passage challenge or encourage you personally?
- 10. Spend some time as a group praying for the war in Ukraine and revival to result from seeing the horrors of man apart from God's saving work.