

# unwrapped

discovering the treasures of the gospel

**We lost it all! He did it all! We get it all!**

Scripture declares that because of sin, we are \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Romans 3:10–12, 23; Isaiah 53:6)

## How can a mortal be righteous before God? Job 9:5

Romans 3:20–26

### God's Gift of Righteousness:

- Is not found in \_\_\_\_\_ to the law or good \_\_\_\_\_. (Romans 3:20, 21)
- Comes from God through \_\_\_\_\_ in Jesus Christ. (Romans 3:22)

### Justification:

- The \_\_\_\_\_ act of God's grace whereby he removes our sins and declares that we are "\_\_\_\_\_."
- Justified – \_\_\_\_\_ never sinned.
- God's \_\_\_\_\_ gift to us was incredibly \_\_\_\_\_ to Him – (Romans 3:24 – redemption – the price or ransom paid to set another free).
- Jesus' death \_\_\_\_\_ God's wrath against sin and His desire for justice. (Romans 3:25)
- Through the blood of Jesus Christ, God is able to show that He is both \_\_\_\_\_ (in dealing with sin) and the \_\_\_\_\_ (who can legally take our sins away). (Romans 3:26)
- Jesus Christ not only takes our sin away, but at the same time also gives us the gift of God's \_\_\_\_\_. (Romans 3:22)

**Doctrine of Justification** – The work of God through the cross allowing guilty sinners (1) to have their sin(s) \_\_\_\_\_ and guilt \_\_\_\_\_ legally by God, and (2) to be declared \_\_\_\_\_ before God by grace alone, through faith alone, because of the person and work of Jesus alone.

\_\_\_\_\_ **Righteousness** – transfer the legal standing from one person to another (Adam's sin to humanity; Humanity's sin to Christ on the cross; Christ's righteousness to us through faith).

### Applying the gift of Justification:

- By faith, I can \_\_\_\_\_ my sin(s) upon Jesus Christ and trust that He will \_\_\_\_\_ them away.
- I can know that God's forgiveness of me and for me is not based upon anything that \_\_\_\_\_; nor is it based upon whether I \_\_\_\_\_ God is in a forgiving mood.
- I know that Jesus Christ has paid the \_\_\_\_\_ for my sin, and that I have a \_\_\_\_\_ guarantee from God that He forgives me and takes my sin away.
- No matter what I have done, or how many regrets I have, I can leave my \_\_\_\_\_ at the cross and know that I am \_\_\_\_\_ in the eyes of God.

## What's happening at SCCC?

**CareNet Coin-a-Copia** Thanks for participating! It's time to turn in the bottles.

**Project: Backpack** We will be partnering with WAYRadio in Project: Backpack again this year. You may participate by taking your child to buy a backpack, filling it with school supplies, and bringing it to church by July 26. This will bless many local children and is a great way to reach out and teach your children about giving.

**Celebrate Recovery** Join us in prayer as we seek God's guidance in opening this ministry to our church and community. Prayer will be July 24 & August 28 at 6pm in the Loft. Questions? Call Todd Sweem at 506-5001 or Ellen Sweem at 506-8246.

**Baptism** Upcoming baptisms will be on July 12 and August 30. If you would like to be baptized, please pick up an application and sign up at the Visitors & Information counter in the Atrium.

**Office Closed** Our office will be closed on Monday, July 6th in observance of Independence Day.

**Attention Parents of Middle Schoolers** The last Drive In '09 will be this Sunday, July 5 at 11 am in the Roof Top. Our first Rush Hour will be Sunday, August 9 at 11 am in the Roof Top. We will have Rush Hour Movie Night Friday July 17 6-9pm in the Roof Top. The cost is \$3 per person.



st. simons  
community church