

Sermon Notes / Titus 2.11-15

Sunday, 12th October 2025

1. Grace Has Appeared (Titus 2.11)

Grace is God's free gift of saving us through Jesus.

It comes to all people who believe and confess Jesus as Lord (Romans 10.10-11).

Grace wakes up dead hearts, gives faith, joins us to Christ, and turns enemies into God's kids.

Without grace, we face God's anger. With it, even big sinners get mercy and forever life.

Hymn reminder: "Amazing grace! How sweet the sound that saved a wretch like me!"

My notes: Does your definition of "Grace" line up with God's?

2. Grace's Dramatic Appearance

"Appeared" means a sudden show, like the sun rising and chasing away dark.

God's grace showed up in Jesus to break our darkness.

It happened long ago but is fresh for us today.

Question: Has grace appeared in your life?

My notes: How has grace changed my darkness?

3. Grace Teaches Us (Titus 2.12)

Grace teaches us to say "no" to bad ways and worldly wants.

It helps us live with self-control, right actions, and godly lives now.

Soul-search question: Is grace shaping your heart, choices, and holy living?

My notes: What am I saying "no" to? What am I saying "yes" to?

4. Grace Demands Response (Titus 2.13-15)

We wait for Jesus' return, our blessed hope.

Jesus gave Himself to free us from evil and make us His pure people, eager for good.

Warning from Jesus (Luke 6.39-40): Don't let blind guides lead you to a fall.

You become like what teaches you

If you claim to be Christian but don't change, your faith is stuck — looks good outside but weak inside.

Grace isn't lazy; it calls for action!

My notes: Am I becoming more like Christ?

5. Evaluate and Act

Audit influences:

- List what takes your time.
- Does it pull you to Jesus?
- Check your decisions:
 - Are you saying no to bad and yes to good?
- Read Bible daily:
 - Let it challenge your habits (start with Titus 2 or Psalm 119).
- Get help from friends:
 - Talk and pray about who you're becoming.

Grace transforms—lean in and let it reshape you!

Prayer: *God, show me if grace is teaching me. Help me to live for You. Amen.*

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