Sermon & Study Notes: #RelationshipGoals: Build Up Connect: * What was helpful, encouraging or challenging about this week's message #RelationshipGoals: Build Up? Study: * Read the following stories about Barnabas: Acts 9:26-30, Acts 11:22-26, Acts 15:37-40. * How did Barnabas encourage/build up the church? * What impact did Barnabas's words have? * How determined was Barnabas to think the best about others? * Did Barnabas live up to his name? Acts 4:36 * How can we imitate Barnabas' example? * 1 Thes. 5:11 _____ * Ephesians 4:29 ______ * Philippians 4:8 _____ * Psalm 19:14 Apply: * Have you had a "Barnabas" in your life? How has their encouragement impacted you? * How could you be a "Barnabas"? * How might a positive shift in our thoughts and words affect our relationships? Further Reading Luke 6:41-49

Pray Together: Take significant time to pray together now about your relationships. Ask God to direct your thoughts and words! (Promises to claim: Psalm 19:14; Ezekiel 36:26-27)

Reminder: Keep praying daily for your relationships!

- James 3
- Psalm 19