Living & Loving in a Messy World - Week 2

Scripture: Luke 10:25-37

Also: John 16:33; Deuteronomy 6:4-5; Leviticus 19:18

Discussion Questions

- 1. What has challenged you, changed you or confused you from this week's sermon or the Scriptures in it?
- 2. How do you find out if someone is bruised & bloodied (or not)?
 - How well do you do with this?
 - What's one thing you can do this week to get better at it?
- 3. We can look at this like a spectrum.
 - On one end, we sometimes freeze (become inactive) because we cannot do everything for everyone, we cannot meet all the needs that we see so we don't meet any.
 - On the other end, we sometimes try to meet every need for someone (or multiple people), and then end up hurting ourselves, resentful, etc.
 - Have you ever felt one of those ways? If so, how?
 - We cannot let those things stop us from meeting the needs that we can meet. How do you work around that "frozenness" that may hit sometimes? Or that "burned outness"?
- 4. Who do you know that is bruised & bloodied?
 - What are their needs?
 - What can you do to minister to their needs?
- 5. What if you are the one in need? Will you ask someone for help?
- 6. How is this sermon moving you to engage more with the two greatest commandments, "Love God and love people"?

May His Word continue to shape and grow us to reflect Him more!