

"Is Work a 4 Letter Word?" Genesis 3:16-19 August 23, 2020 AM Service

The <u>Misconception</u> about Our Work - It is not a result of the curse

- \checkmark The nature of work is good, not evil
- \checkmark Work was given before the fall, not after it
- ✓ The nature of the curse itself shows that work is not the result of the curse
- ✓ God's perspective on work remains positive after the Fall, not negative

The **Impacts** of Sin on Our Work

- ✓ It can be <u>difficult</u> Romans 8:22-23
- ✓ It can be disillusioning & depressing Ecclesiastes 2:17-18, 22-23
- \checkmark It can be distorting
- ✓ It can be <u>depleting</u>
- \checkmark It can be deceptive

The Way We <u>View</u> Our Work

- \checkmark There is a divine <u>design</u>
- ✓ There is a divine <u>deliverance</u> 1 Corinthians 15:58
- ✓ There is divine direction John 17:14-15; Matthew 5:13-16
- ✓ There is a divine <u>decision</u> Ecclesiastes 3:12-13