Week 7: The Fall of Man

Scripture Reading:

"Wherefore, as by one man sin entered into the world, and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned." - Romans 5:12

Opening Prayer:

Begin by acknowledging our human nature and seeking God's wisdom to understand the origins and consequences of sin.

Devotional:

Every human, since the beginning of time, has wrestled with sin. It began with Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden and has continued down through every generation. Sin separates us from a holy God, but understanding the origin and impact of sin helps us grasp the depth of God's love and the magnitude of Christ's sacrifice. Through Christ, we find redemption and the hope of reconciliation.

Discussion:

- 1. How did sin first enter the world, and what were its consequences? (Genesis 3:6-7)
- 2. How does sin affect our relationship with God and others? (Isaiah 59:2)
- 3. Share a personal experience of recognizing sin and seeking God's forgiveness.

Activity:

Discuss the importance of recognizing and repenting from sin. Share testimonies of God's grace and mercy in your individual lives.

Closing Prayer:

End with a prayer of repentance, asking God to cleanse our hearts and guide us in His righteousness.