

## WEEK 6 | FORGIVENESS | LUKE 23:26-43

### Inspection – “What does it say?”

Why did Simon from Cyrene carry the cross for Jesus?

What concern did Jesus have for the daughters of Jerusalem in verses 28-30?

What did Jesus say in verse 34 after being crucified on the cross?

What observations did one criminal recognize about Jesus compared to the one who insulted Him?

What challenge did the rulers and soldiers make to Jesus?

### Observation – “What does it mean?”

What prevents people from turning to Jesus?

In what ways are we like the two criminals who were crucified next to Jesus?

Why did Jesus choose not to save Himself from suffering on the cross?

What was necessary for forgiveness of sin and why?

What is expected from our lives when we receive forgiveness?

### Life Application – “What does it mean for me?”

Consider if there is someone whom you need to forgive.

Pray for the grace to forgive that person.

Consider including thanksgiving for God’s forgiveness in your daily prayers.

Jesus died for sinners on the cross. Consider what you are doing for those who are lost without Him.

Jesus lived a sinless life. Approach each day with the attitude of being like Jesus.

Pray for those who are incarcerated in prisons and those who minister there.

### Meditation – “What does God say?”

Ephesians 4:32

1 John 1:9

Matthew 18:21-22

Colossians 3:13

Acts 2:38

Ephesians 1:7

Isaiah 55:7

Proverbs 17:9

## Supplication: What Can We Meditate?

### What Can Wash Away My Sin?

What can wash away my sin?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
What can make me whole again?  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
Oh precious is the flow, that makes me white as snow.  
No other fount I know,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

For my pardon, yes, I see,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
For my cleansing there's my plead,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
Oh precious is the flow, that makes me white as snow.  
No other fount I know,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

Nothing can for sin atone,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
Not of good that I have done,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
Oh precious is the flow, that makes me white as snow.  
No other fount I know,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

This is all my hope and peace,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
This is all my righteousness,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.  
Oh precious is the flow, that makes me white as snow.  
No other fount I know,  
Nothing but the blood of Jesus.

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