

Reconnect: Failures and Mistakes October 8, 2023 | Jamie Ressler

Warm up

- 1. What was your favorite family trip? Did things go according to plan?
- 2. What stood out to you in this week's message?

Dig in

- 3. How do you react when you realize you have sinned?
- 4. Read James 1:22-24. Are there times that you go to Church or do bible study and hear the words, but don't understand them? What do you do in these situations?
- 5. If we are predestined to fail/make mistakes, how does that affect your ability to connect with other people? Is there a fear of failure hanging over your heads in these situations?
- 6. Discuss the story of Jesus being anointed by a sinful woman (Luke 7:36-50). How do you feel about how Jesus treated people that sinned? If you were in Simon's shoes, would you feel jealous of the attention the sinful woman received?

Digging deeper (extra credit!)

- 7. Read 1 John 3:6-10. How do you handle people in your life who lead you astray? How would you deal with someone in your group that continues to sin, but wants to be better?
- 8. How is Community Group going so far? Any barriers to address?



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- o Have you set up an automatic giving plan to "automate the important"? We're here to help!
- o Learn about Surprise Covenant Partnership: <u>Surprisechurch.com/Partners</u>
- o Join a community Group this semester: <u>SurpriseChurch.com/Groups</u>

Failures & Mistakes	
1 John 1:8	
James 3:2	
Sin – Garden of Eden:	
James 1:22-24	
How do we learn?	
Luke 7	
Sinful woman	
Loves much	
Forgiven little, Loves little	
Community Groups	

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