**GRACE**

2 Corinthians 11 v 23-28

God has a gift to offer us in these times.

2 Corinthians 12 v 9, 10.

Grace: \*good will, loving-kindness, favour.

\*the merciful kindness by which God, exerting his holy influence upon souls, turns them to Christ, keeps them, strengthens them, increases them in Christian faith, knowledge, and affection, and kindles them to the exercise of the Christian virtues.

“The grace of our Lord Jesus is sufficient to uphold you, sufficient to strengthen you, sufficient to comfort you, sufficient to make your trouble useful to you, sufficient to enable you to triumph over it, sufficient to bring you out of it, sufficient to bring you out of ten thousand like it… Spurgeon

**APPLICATION**

Inviting God into the specific areas of our lives which are troubling us, and open our hearts to Him- asking Him to show us his sufficiency in what we are going through. Thanking Him that He is sufficient in our specific need.

**Questions:**

What did you get from the message?

Are we surprised and upset when storms come, and hardships happen? Does this mean that God doesn’t care?

What does ‘grace’ mean to you?

How has God expressed/shown His grace to you in your times of suffering?

4. What is the next step you intend to apply from this message in your walk with Jesus?

**Prayer**

1. For the power of Christ in us to help us to trust that he is sufficient for us in our need.
2. Anything else.