

Why Grace Groups – Part 1 “Because He cares for you...” 1 Peter 5:7

‘care’ n -the provision of what is necessary for the health, welfare, maintenance, and protection of someone or something.

v- feel concern or interest; look after and provide for the needs of.

We are a Saint, a Sinner and a Sufferer. ‘Care’ is where God’s word and God’s people-

As a Saint: confirms our identity as his children.

As a Sinner: confronts our sin when we turn from his character and redemptive work.

As a Sufferer: consoles and comforts us in our suffering.

Path forward: Leadership, Structure and Equipping

2 COR 8:16-17 ACTS 20:28 Eph 4:11-12

Point 1. The source of sin and suffering

1 Peter 5: 6-11

2 Cor 4:7-9, 16-18

Point 2. The source of our sanctification

Heb 2:8-11

Point 3. The Source of Our Care

1 Cor 12: 24-27