

Day Four – Rebuilding Together

Scripture: “*Carry each other’s burdens, and in this way you will fulfill the law of Christ.*” – Galatians 6:2

When storms or crises leave behind destruction, the task of rebuilding can feel overwhelming if we try to face it alone. There are too many broken boards to lift, too many heavy burdens to carry, too many tears to wipe away. But God, in His wisdom, designed us for community. He never intended us to walk through seasons of recovery by ourselves.

Think about how powerful it is when people come together after loss. Neighbors check on one another. Strangers become friends as they share supplies or meals. Churches open their doors, not just for worship, but for shelter, encouragement, and prayer. Each person brings something different—strength, resources, skills, or simply a listening ear. And when those pieces come together, hope begins to grow again.

Rebuilding together is more than fixing what’s broken—it’s about restoring trust, deepening relationships, and rediscovering what it means to love one another. When you reach out to help someone else, even while you’re still hurting, God multiplies that act of kindness. And when you allow others to help you, it reminds your weary heart that you don’t have to be strong all by yourself.

The truth is, community is one of God’s greatest gifts in recovery. Alone, we may stumble under the weight. But together, we rise.

Reflection:

- Who has come alongside you during a time of rebuilding, and how has their presence encouraged you?
- Are you more comfortable helping others, or asking for help yourself?
What might God be teaching you in that?

- What practical step could you take this week to support someone else who is still struggling?

Prayer:

Lord, thank You for the people You've placed in my life to walk beside me. Help me to lean on others when I feel weak, and to be a source of encouragement when others are in need. Knit us together in love so that, together, we rebuild stronger than before. In Jesus Name We Pray, Amen.