



## Day 2

- Verses 21-23 describe one of the ‘essential’ attributes of sin. How does sin as described here impact humanity? How do you see the phrase “claiming to be wise, they became fools” played out in our own world? In our own lives?
- Answer the same question as above, but for verse 25.
- Multiple times in verses 18-32, we see the phrase “God gave them over.” What does this mean? Why would God do this, and what is the result when this happens? Why is this such a troubling aspect of unrepentant sin and rebellion against God?

## Day 3

- Verses 26&27 are the most known section of this passage, and addresses the issue of homosexuality. Because of this, the deeper and universal attributes of sexual sin are often missed. What are the devastating attributes we see here that apply to ALL sexual sin, not just homosexuality? Why do you think sexual sin is so dangerous, and often the first example cited of rebellion against God? Can you find other scripture that speaks to this issue?
- In verses 28-32, Paul gives a detailed but non-exhaustive list of what happens when human hearts are ‘given over’ to sin. What is the ‘essential’ attribute of sin we see in verse 28? If this passage were a ‘sit down’ conversation between you and God (which, by the way, it is), which of these symptoms would be on your personal list of struggles? What needs to be added? What are the impacts of these thoughts/attitudes/activities in your life (on you and those around you)? Prayerfully allow the Holy Spirit to lead you through a *necessary diagnosis* of your struggle with sin.