

**Text:** *Galatians 5:26-6:5, NRSV*

**Humility**

- “Our behavior toward others is determined by our \_\_\_\_\_.”
- Humility is holding an \_\_\_\_\_ view of self.

**Gentleness**

- Gentleness helps us realize that \_\_\_\_\_ is our primary goal.
- Gentleness is required when resetting the \_\_\_\_\_.
- Quit playing the \_\_\_\_\_.

## **Life Enrichment**

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What about today's teaching challenged, disturbed, or encouraged you?

- Why do you think Paul uses the circumstance of a Christian's moral failure to help us understand what a Spirit-filled, Spirit-led life is?
- How is it possible for sinful people to hold an honest view of self?
- In Paul's statement about conceit (Gal 5:26), it seems likely that too high an estimation of self and too low an estimation of self are flipsides of the same coin. How is that possible? What do they have in common? How are they different?
- When you feel superior, how do you treat others? When you feel inferior, how do you treat others?
- Have you ever witnessed Christians treating fallen Christians harshly? Why is that inappropriate? How can we guard against it?
- How does "the comparison game" twist our view of self and others? How does it work against the fruit of the Spirit?
- What are some ways we can demonstrate love, humility, and gentleness toward those who have been "detected in a transgression?"