

# The Weekly Seedling

Summer 2016: Life by the Spirit



## Weekly Challenge:

This week as we seek to learn more about goodness, make it a goal of yours to seek out the goodness of God this week (and always). And as always, if you see someone display the fruit of the spirit, make sure to write it down on the paper fruit in the lounge, and stick it up onto the tree!

## Jokes of the Week!

Q: Why did the man at the orange juice company lose his job?

A: Because he could not concentrate!

Q: When is an apple not an apple?

A: When it's a pineapple!



*Ashton's ready for the family fun fair!*

## Staff Outing!

This week we will be heading to the Montello City Park for our staff outing! We'll have a cookout and games! We will meet there by 4 o'clock, eat at 5 o'clock, and play games before and after!



## Life by the Spirit



This week the fruit we are focusing on is GOODNESS! Take some time this week to learn about goodness and practice recognizing goodness in your life.

Not every day is good, but surely we can find at least a little bit of good in each day. Even on our worst days there is something good about it, even if the only good thing you can think about is the fact that God woke you up for another day.

Goodness is a tricky part of the fruit of the Spirit, since only God is really good. If God is the only one who is good, how are we to display goodness in our lives? We can pursue goodness because God is good, and we were created in His image, to be like Him. The only way is by seeking the Holy Spirit and living life by the Spirit.