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# ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN

**2 Samuel 11:1-17, 26-27**

**Undeniable Sinners need an Undeniable Savior.**

**Verse 1-2:** King David had great success as a military commander. In the spring kings usually go off to war. David stayed. When should we be ready for temptations?

**Verse 2-3:** When we are being tempted what are things we should do to fight temptation?

**Verse 4-5:** David knew this was sinful for him, but what did he do anyways?

Was David following God or his own sinful desire?

What commandments did David break?

Even though this was a sinful event, what blessing did God allow?

**Verse 6:** David sends for Uriah the Hittite immediately after finding out Bathsheba is pregnant. What should David have said to Uriah?

**Verse 7-11:** David didn't apologize, but rather tried to cover up his sin. How was David using his power as king?

**Verses 12-13:** David even resorted to making Uriah drunk so as to work his plan. David was pretending to be Uriah's \_\_\_\_\_.

How would you compare Uriah and David?

David: \_\_\_\_\_ Uriah: \_\_\_\_\_

**Verses 14-17:** Rather than confess his sin and ask forgiveness from God and from Uriah, what did David do to Uriah to try to cover up his sin?

Falling into temptation often leads to other \_\_\_\_\_ to try to cover it up or deny it. What sins did David add to the list of sins he committed with how he used Joab, his army, and his faithful soldier Uriah?

**Verse 26-27:** The writer of 2 Samuel consistently uses this phrase "Uriah's wife" to refer to Bathsheba. What is the reminder for us?

David seemed to get away with all the awful things he did. But God knew. How did God feel about it?

Could God forgive a sinner like David? \_\_\_\_\_

Read chapter 12 this week to see how God called David to repentance through his prophet and even forgave his sins. How could a just God forgive the sins of someone who did such wicked things?

Jesus our perfect substitute never fell to temptation. What did he do when he was tempted?

Jesus saved us by taking all of David's and all of our wicked things on himself and suffering on the cross. What was the price of our forgiveness?

As forgiven sinners our life is to glorify God. What are ways we can show our thankfulness to God when times of tempting come to us?

When we lose and fall into sin what do we do?

When we defeat temptation with God's help, who do we thank?