PREACHING CURRICULUM



SERMON TITLE: Faithfulness in Marriage

SCRIPTURE: Exodus 20:14

'...God created sex, so it is a pleasure we can embrace, but we need to reclaim a healthy biblical view of marriage and sexuality...'

1 REVIEW THE SERMON

What is a marriage biblically? Who legitimizes it?

Is there any ambiguity about whether this command is for both men and women?

What are some of the implications and consequences of adultery beyond just a man and a woman?

What are some of the excuses that we use to try to validate our actions that are contrary to Scripture?

How does it compromise our witness to God's truth if we do not take a high view of marriage as God does?

2 ASSESS YOUR LIFE

If you have divorced or separated from a spouse on non-biblical grounds what should you do?

How do we guard our minds against the sin of mental adultery? What are some of the consequences of mental adultery?

Have you fallen into a chain of ruts that will bring you into a compromised state?

Do you concern yourself with being caught by God? What are doing to cleanse your mind with what is pure?

3 APPLY THE TRUTH

What is God trying to protect us from by outlawing adultery?

How can we find great hope in forgiveness?

Do we sometimes try to replace Christ as the spiritual husband of the church? How do we commit spiritual adultery?

How can we raise our children to understand these truths? Are you teaching your children to only date those who have a high view of biblical marriage?

4 COMMIT THIS WEEK

Will you take a high and biblical view of sexuality and marriage, and chart a new course where you need to?