

# PREACHING CURRICULUM



**SERMON TITLE:** Content with what you Own

**SCRIPTURE:** Exodus 20:17

*'...God wants us to exchange covetousness for contentment...'*

# 1

## REVIEW THE SERMON

When you stop and think about it, are you really more satisfied with the stuff you have now, compared to what you had earlier in life?

How do we overcome the emotions we have that shouldn't be there? What should we replace them with?

Are you being poisoned by something that you have set your eyes upon? Are you coveting relationally?

How many times do we need to suffer to learn the truth that the things we covet are ethereal and will not satisfy?

# 2

## ASSESS YOUR LIFE

Where is the point at which wealth becomes a sin in your life?

What is the role of money and possessions in your satisfaction?

To what extent would you go to keep your possessions?

Will you adopt an attitude of contentment? How do you learn contentment?

# 3

## APPLY THE TRUTH

Is there biblically anything wrong with wealth?

What is covetousness? What is a sin of attitude? How is covetousness a sin of attitude?

How is the sin of covetousness at the root of many if not all of the other sins? How is this a command against a sin of desire, not just against outward commission?

Is there something in your life right now that is fulfilling (extremely temporarily) a place that only God can fill?

# 4

## COMMIT THIS WEEK

This week, how will you put your faith in a God whose plans are never surpassed and trust that He knows, and wants, what is best for you, even when you don't?