

Family Worship Sunday

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God Created the Perfect World. (Genesis 1:27-31)

Genesis 1:27–31 (ESV)

²⁷ So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them.

²⁸ And God blessed them. And God said to them, "Be fruitful and multiply and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of the heavens and over every living thing that moves on the earth." ³¹ And God saw everything that he had made, and behold, it was very good. And there was evening and there was morning, the sixth day.

Mankind Chose to Reject God's Perfect Way of Life.

(Genesis 3:4-19)

Genesis 3:4-7, 14-19 (ESV)

⁴ But the serpent said to the woman, "You will not surely die. ⁵ For God knows that when you eat of it your eyes will be opened, and you will be like God, knowing good and evil." ⁶ So when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was a delight to the eyes, and that the tree was to be desired to make one wise, she took of its fruit and ate, and she also gave some to her husband who was with her, and he ate. ⁷ Then the eyes of both were opened, and they knew that they were naked. And they sewed fig leaves together and made themselves loincloths...

¹⁴ The LORD God said to the serpent, "Because you have done this, cursed are you above all livestock and above all beasts of the field; on your belly you shall go, and dust you shall eat all the days of your life...."

¹⁶ To the woman he said, "I will surely multiply your pain in childbearing; in pain you shall bring forth children. Your desire shall be contrary to your husband, but he shall rule over you."

¹⁷ And to Adam he said, "Because you have listened to the voice of your wife and have eaten of the tree of which I commanded you, 'You shall not eat of it,' cursed is the ground because of you; in pain you shall eat of it all the days of your life; ¹⁸ thorns and thistles it shall bring forth for you; and you shall eat the plants of the field. ¹⁹ By the sweat of your face you shall eat bread..."

Mankind's relationship with God can be restored through Jesus Christ. (Romans 10:9)

Romans 10:9 (NIV 1984)

That if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved.

God helps a family relate rightly when they follow His commands to...

- Putting the goals and interests of others ahead of their own. (Philippians 2:3-4)

Philippians 2:3–4 (ESV)

³*Do nothing from selfish ambition or conceit, but in humility count others more significant than yourselves.* ⁴*Let each of you look not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others.*

- Live an honest and open life before others.
(Ephesians 4:25)

Ephesians 4:25 (NIV)

²⁵*Therefore each of you must put off falsehood and speak truthfully to your neighbor, for we are all members of one body.*

- Gives and Receives Scriptural Correction.
(Hebrews 10:24-25)

Hebrews 10:24–25 (NIV 1984)

²⁴ *And let us consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds, ²⁵ not giving up meeting together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and all the more as you see the Day approaching.*

- Clear Up Relationships. (Matthew 5:23-24)

Matthew 5:23–24 (NIV)

²³ *“Therefore, if you are offering your gift at the altar and there remember that your brother has something against you, ²⁴ leave your gift there in front of the altar. First go and be reconciled to your brother; then come and offer your gift.*

My Next Step Today is to...





- Let others in my family go first or choose first
- Read Alive: A Cold-Case Approach to the Resurrection
- Confess that Jesus is Lord and believe in my heart that God raised him from the dead.

GAMES

Families Play

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Sermon Reminders

-  Put the goals and interests of others ahead of your own. (Phil 2:3-4)
-  Live an honest and open life before others. (Eph 4:25)
-  Give and receive Scriptural correction. (Hebrews 10:24-25)
-  Clear up relationships. (Matthew 5:23-24)

Family Challenge



This week try to let other family members go first or choose first.

Family Fun



Have dessert together on Friday and ask how doing the Family Challenge has helped your family.