

Sunday AM Sermon – July 21, 2024

Joseph: Privileged and Purged

Genesis 37:12-20



We all understand that life will have its ups and downs. What is harder to comprehend and harder to take is the apparent unfairnesses of life – of which, Joseph had many. Let's learn from him how to ride the rollercoaster of life.



1. Mark the number of times you hear these words:

Joseph –
Jealous(y) –
Jesus –

2. How did Joseph's brothers deal with their jealousy?
3. How quickly can life change?
4. Lesson one: Danger in Shechem: _____: If you plant _____, you will reap _____
5. What happened earlier at Shechem?
6. What was the worldview of Joseph's brothers at this point in their lives?
7. Rather than revenge, what did Jesus teach?
8. Lesson two: _____: Be careful what you _____; it will _____
9. What was the first thing Joseph's brothers took from him and why?
10. How does bitterness affect us?
11. Lesson three: _____ ... sort of: Follow the _____ and _____ of the law; _____ comes in different forms
12. Why did the brothers change their plans to kill Joseph?
13. Lesson four: Do the right thing: _____ perpetuate a _____ of _____
14. How can we hide things from God?
15. What did the brothers unknowingly sentence themselves to?
16. Why as disciples do we get rid of jealousy and refuse to seek revenge?
17. What were the actions of Joseph's brothers actually accomplishing?



Faith Talk, Faith Walk

Spend time with family or friends (maybe over a meal or during a family devotional) discussing the following related to the sermon

Faith Talk: When has jealousy been a problem in your life? How was it resolved?

Faith Walk: Put to death those spiritual diseases of the heart so that you can walk faithfully with God.

If you are here and have been touched or convicted by something said or done today we would love to study the Bible with you and introduce you more fully to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Just call the church office at 795-4377 and we will set something up. God bless you!

Next Sunday AM Sermon – Joseph: Successful and Seduced (Genesis 39:1-10)