

Sunday AM Sermon – December 8, 2024

Joseph: Purpose and Pardon

Genesis 50:15-21



How are you at forgiving? For some people, forgiveness is profanity. They've been wounded so deeply, they can't even imagine letting their hurt go. Once again, Joseph shows disciples what is possible when we live by faith rather than by fear.



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

Forgive(ness) –

Fear –

Faith –

2. What did Peter tell Christian wives to do for their unbelieving husbands?

3. What is the most frequent command in Scripture?

4. Lesson one: Keep _____

5. How long had Joseph's brothers carried the guilt of their sins against him?

6. According to Ephesians 4, what are we to do with anger?

7. What keeps us from confessing, apologizing, and forgiving?

8. Lesson two: Let _____ be _____

9. What position is already filled?

10. Lesson three: _____ is at _____ in our world

11. How is providence enacted through our lives?

12. Lesson four: You _____ on what God _____ to do

13. What does the curse of unforgiveness invite into our lives?

14. Lesson five: You can _____

15. What is forgiveness, and what is it not?

16. What is forgiveness designed to do?



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: What makes forgiveness hard for you? How have you overcome the difficulty?

Faith Walk: Live by faith instead of fear, and learn to forgive as Christ did.

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: Heart and Home (Genesis 50:22-26)