

Sermon Outline – Men’s Sessions

Session 1: Understanding the Real Problem

With the backdrop of Jesus’ sobering words “*You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall not commit adultery;’ but I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lust for her has already committed adultery with her in his heart,*” this session dives right into the heart of the matter...Lust. The session defines lust and exposes the truth behind our lustful desires. We will discuss the age old question: Temptation vs. Sin.

The audience will learn three (3) practical ways to overcome lustful desires:

- How to become a giver instead of a taker
- How to walk in the Spirit
- How to develop a grateful heart

Key Verses

Mark 7:20-23 | Matthew 5:27-30 | James 1:14

Session 2: Understanding our Enemy

Christians are in a war and it is imperative that we understand that there is a real enemy looking to steal, kill and destroy souls. The session uncovers the susceptibility of our fallen nature, followed by an in-depth look at the defiling tools the enemy constantly uses to keep Christians bound and powerless. The Bible tells us a lot about this enemy, and the sessions will dissect his methods to alert participants to his schemes.

This session exposes how the enemy creates spiritual atmospheres conducive to sexual sin. Listeners will be challenged to take inventory of what goes on inside their hearts and recognize how making compromises is a key component to the enemy’s plan to destroy us. The session concludes with teaching on allowing God’s Word to be the source of discernment and truth in the heart of every believer.

Key Verses

I John 2:15-17 | James 4:4 | Ephesians 2:1-2 | Psalm 19:7

Session 3: A Personal Testimony

The third session features a personal testimony of victory. The audience will be greatly encouraged by the speaker as he describes how Christ rescued his life bound in sexual sin. Most importantly, they will see a genuine longing for God that comes with true repentance. This session will exalt Jesus and impart hope to everyone attending.

Session 4: Understanding True Repentance

The final session concludes by teaching and encourages true repentance: what it is, how it unfolds, its benefits, and how each man can enter into it himself. By contrasting the lives of two biblical characters, Saul and David, the session distinguishes between godly sorrow and worldly sorrow. The speaker will also walk the audience through the powerful progression found in the Beatitudes.

The session takes an in-depth examination of the following:

- Poor in Spirit: Being truly broken over sin
- Meekness: A surrendering of the will to God
- Fruit of Repentance

This session will seek to convict participants of hidden sin and encourage deep repentance and change.

Key Verses

Matthew 5:1-9 | II Corinthians 7:9-10 | John 3:19-20

