



#### SERMON DISCUSSION GUIDE

December 8, 2024 | The Most Dysfunctional Family Ever (Week 2)

**Memory Verse** 1 Corinthians 10:31 So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, do it all for the glory of God.



### CLOSER TOGETHER \_\_\_\_\_

- 1)What is a particularly memorable Christmas present you gave or received?
- 2) What is your favorite Christmas song/carol and why? Least favorite and why?



#### **MESSAGE REFLECTION**

- 1) Share something from the service or message that stood out to you, inspired you, or encouraged you.
- 2) Read **Genesis 2:24-25** together. How is God's design for sex between one man and one woman for life revealed here?
- 3) Review the three primary purposes of sexuality (use **Genesis** 1:28, Matthew 19:4-6, Song of Solomon 5:1 to support).
- 4) Why does our culture want to remove the boundaries around sexuality?
- 5) How is the "sexual freedom" promoted by culture actually bondage and destruction?
- 6) Review the narrative of King David's sin from **2 Samuel 11:1-27**. What were some of the red flags David should have heeded?
- 7) Read **Acts 13:22-23**. What hope is present for sexual brokenness in your past or present?



### GOING DEEPER\_\_\_\_\_

#### READ 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 together.

- 1) What is something from this passage that stands out to you?
- 2) What questions should you ask yourself before participating in an activity (v 12)?
- 3) What is the body designed for according to this passage?
- 4) How does the eternal nature of your body(v 14) change how you view your sexuality?
- 5) How is the body of Christ affected when members of the body participate in sexual sin (vv 15-16)?
- 6) Why is sexual sin different from other sins (v 18)? How is it the same as other sins?
- 7) Share one way that you treat your body like a temple of the Holy Spirit.
- 8) How does submitting your body and your sexuality to God's authority actually bring freedom and goodness?
- 9) What does it look like to glorify God with your body?

## LIVING IT OUT

- 1) Thank God for the gift of sexuality. Ask God to help you bring glory to Him through your body whether you are single or married.
- 2) Confess any past sexual sin to the Lord. Thank God for the hope of redemption through the blood of Christ.



# LIFT EACH OTHER UP \_\_\_\_\_

Take time to pray for each other.