

Mark 10: 1-12 Marriage and Discipleship

Exegesis (Background)

1. Jewish women could _____ get a divorce.
2. Divorce _____ a woman.
3. Divorce is not the _____.

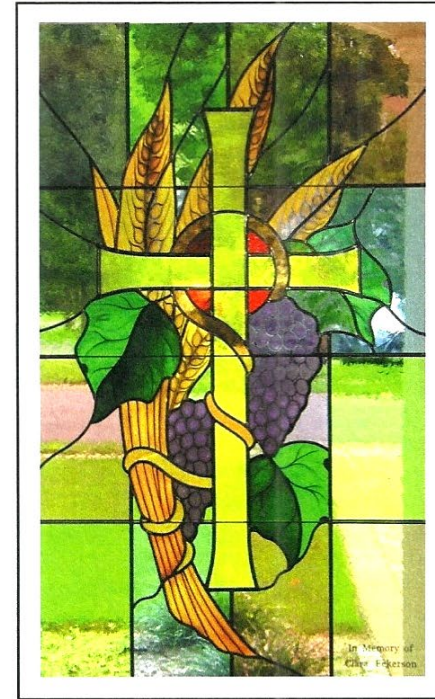
Life Application

1. God values marital _____.

There is always _____.

_____ is hard work.

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We live in a world where we keep so busy, yet we wonder if we're getting anything done – if there's meaning in any of it.

Christ pours meaning into our lives by showing us who we are created to be.

We live in a world with such a frenetic pace, where we are anxious and uncertain.

Jesus brings us peace by showing us how deeply we're loved.

We live in a world where we're surrounded by people and yet we often feel alone.

Christ calls us into a loving community.

Here, in this church, we are in the process of discovering the meaning, peace, and life-giving love of Jesus Christ.

We invite you into that journey with us.



Order of Worship

We are caring believers who grow, share, and live out our faith in Christ.

September 15, 2024

10:00 A.M.

PRELUDE "Join All the Glorious Names" James Darwall
Amy Duran, Piano

WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS Rev. Zach Waldis

Our Approach to God

CALL TO WORSHIP (responsive) from Psalm 128

Leader: Happy is everyone who fears the Lord, who walks in His ways.

People: You shall eat the fruit of the labor of your hands; you shall be happy, and it shall go well with you.

Leader: Your wife will be like a fruitful vine within your house; your children will be like olive shoots around your table.

People: Thus shall the man be blessed who fears the Lord.

Leader: The Lord bless you from Zion.

People: May you see the prosperity of Jerusalem all the days of your life. May you see your children's children. Peace be upon Israel!

*HYMN "Praise Him! Praise Him!" #12

CHILDREN'S MOMENT Rev. Zach Waldis

CHANCEL CHOIR "His Love is Flowing Like a River" Jill Callina

The Word of God

GREETING EACH OTHER IN THE NAME OF CHRIST

*HYMN "A Christian Home" #451

PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION

SCRIPTURE Deuteronomy 24:1-4 p. 167 (OT)
Mark 10:1-12 p. 46 (NT)

SERMON "Marriage and Discipleship" Rev. Zach Waldis

PRAYER FOR BLESSING ON THE WORD

Our Response to God

OFFERING

*DOXOLOGY #815

JOYS, THANKS AND CONCERNS OF THE CONGREGATION

THE GENERAL PRAYER AND THE LORD'S PRAYER

*HYMN "Happy Our Home When God Is There" #453

*BENEDICTION

POSTLUDE "We're Marching to Zion" arr. Larry Shackley
Amy Duran, piano

***Please stand if you are able.**

PRAYER CONCERNS: Anonymous; Lynn Baker; DeAnna and Roger Carman; Ernie Hepperle; Janet Kosack; Nancy Lanzalotto; Ed Serrano; Robin Schwarte; Craig Terjanian, Barry Wood.

UNITY PRAYER: God, we thank you for providing people with a strong faith in you to reach the hearts of children as they seek purpose and direction. May children recognize your power and love in their lives and choose to follow you.

THE FLOWERS are given by Nancy and John McGlade in celebration of their 47th wedding anniversary.

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