

Sermon Questions for Community Groups

Sermon: "Wisdom in the Home: What is Hindering?"

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Scripture: Proverbs 4:1-27

1. How did God speak to you through the sermon on Sunday?
2. What currently has you "walking with your head down"?
3. How is technology interrupting your communion with God?
4. For parents - How do we lead our kids to down paths of producing character?
For singles - How do we lead ourselves and those closest to us down paths of producing character?
5. Proverbs 4:23 calls us to guard/protect our hearts with all diligence. What does it look like for you to guard your own heart? To protect the hearts of those you love?
6. Which of the TEN TECH-WISE COMMITMENTS will you implement in your daily routine?
 1. We develop wisdom and courage together as a family.
 2. We want to create more than we consume. So, we fill the center of our home with things that reward skill and active engagement.
 3. We are designed for a rhythm of work and rest. So, one hour a day, one day a week, and one week a year, we turn off our devices and worship, feast, play, and rest together.
 4. We wake up before our devices do, and they "go to bed" before we do.
 5. We aim for "no screens before double digits" at school and at home.
 6. We use screens for a purpose, and we use them together, rather than using them aimlessly and alone.
 7. Car time is conversation time.
 8. Spouses have one another's passwords, and parents have total access to children's devices.
 9. We learn to sing together, rather than letting recorded and amplified music take over our lives and worship.
 10. We show up in person for the big events of life. We learn how to be human by being fully present at our moments of greatest vulnerability. We hope to die in one another's arms.

Prayer Requests: