

Welcome to Troy Methodist Church!

New to TMC?

We invite you on a journey with Jesus...

Connect to God and our faith community.

Grow into a wholehearted follower of Jesus.

Serve with your God-given gifts and passions.

Share God's love regionally and globally.

Worship God in everything you say and do.



Point your phone camera at the QR code to connect!

Stop by the Welcome Center after service to pick up a gift!

Upcoming Events

3/14/24- Troy United Women in Faith Meeting

3/17/24- Preschool Sunday

3/20/24- Troy Methodist Students- Parent Seminar

3/23/24- Midwest Mission Food Pack Event

3/24/24- Palm Sunday

3/24/24- Troy Methodist Kids- Glow!

3/27/24- Joy Seekers Lunch and Program

3/29/24- Good Friday Service

3/31/24- Easter Sunday



Message Notes

March 10, 2024

Eyes On The Cross- The Man With Second Thoughts

Mark 10: 17-22

A young man came to Jesus with a burning question: "Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?"

Jesus, "Go, sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me."

How often do we find ourselves in a similar predicament? When faced with the choice between the comfort of familiarity and the uncertainty of transformation, we tend to hesitate

THE ALLURE OF WEALTH – <u>True</u> riches are found not in what we possess, but in whom we follow.

THE COST OF <u>DISCIPLESHIP</u> – The rewards of obedience far surpass the sacrifices we may be called to make.

THE REDEMPTION OF <u>SECOND CHANCES</u> – The Rich Young Ruler's story serves as a poignant reminder that our past mistakes need not define our future. In Christ, we find the ultimate second chance and hope.

Jesus, in His infinite grace, extends an invitation to each of us: "Come, follow me."

Application:

- •Are there areas in my life where I cling too tightly to material things?
- •Am I allowing the allure of wealth and possessions to affect my pursuit of God?
- •Am I putting my trust and security in my bank account or in Jesus?
- •Am I willing to lay aside my second thoughts and wholeheartedly follow Christ?

May we have the courage to let go of anything that hinders us from experiencing the abundant life God offers. And let us remember the boundless grace of our Savior, Who offers us redemption when we are faced with second thoughts and the opportunity for new beginnings.