ORIGINS SERMON SERIES ON GENESIS 1-11

SERMON LISTENING GUIDE // DATE:

Genesis 6:9-22 // ⁹ These are the generations of Noah. Noah was a righteous man, blameless in his generation. Noah walked with God. ¹⁰ And Noah had three sons, Shem, Ham, and Japheth. ¹¹ Now the earth was corrupt in God's sight, and the earth was filled with violence. ¹² And God saw the earth, and behold, it was corrupt, for all flesh had corrupted their way on the earth. ¹³ And God said to Noah, "I have determined to make an end of all flesh, for the earth is filled with violence through them. Behold, I will destroy them with the earth. ¹⁴ Make yourself an ark of gopher wood. Make rooms in the ark, and cover it inside and out with pitch. ¹⁵ This is how you are to make it: the length of the ark 300 cubits, its breadth 50 cubits, and its height 30 cubits. ¹⁶ Make a roof for the ark, and finish it to a cubit above, and set the door of the ark in its side. Make it with lower, second, and third decks. ¹⁷ For behold, I will bring a flood of waters upon the earth to destroy all flesh in which is the breath of life under heaven. Everything that is on the earth shall die. ¹⁸ But I will establish my covenant with you, and you shall come into the ark, you, your sons, your wife, and your sons' wives with you. ¹⁹ And of every living thing of all flesh, you shall bring two of every sort into the ark to keep them alive with you. They shall be male and female. ²⁰ Of the birds according to their kinds, and of the animals according to their kinds, of every creeping thing of the ground, according to its kind, two of every sort shall come in to you to keep them alive. ²¹ Also take with you every sort of food that is eaten, and store it up. It shall serve as food for you and for them." ²² Noah did this; he did all that God commanded him.

Saving a World in Crisis Genesis 6:9-22

What is God's plan to save a world in crisis?

- I. God's relentless commitment to good
 - A. Purging what isn't good (v. 11-13, 17)
 - B. Delaying his purge out of love (Gen. 6:3; 2 Peter 3:5-9)
- II. God's relentless commitment to rescue
 - A. God's covenant with a rescuer (v. 18-21)
 - B. The perfect obedience of our rescuer (v. 9, 14-16, 22; Rom. 5:19)

APPLICATION GUIDE

- 1. What is the first response of your heart to verses 13 and 17? How does God's relentless commitment to good shape the way you view his judgment?
- 2. How does God's delayed judgment speak of his love and help explain why evil remains in his world? How does this change your view of God in the face of evil?
- 3. How does God's covenant with Noah help you better understand His covenant with Christ? How does this bring you assurance in the crisis of your own sin?
- 4. In the midst of this current pandemic, how are you struggling to trust Jesus Christ? How is Christ comforting you?

MISSIONARY PRAYER // COACHES HONOR



Coaches are natural leaders with a critical and phenomenal opportunity to introduce our next generation to the love of Jesus Christ. As Billy Graham said, "A coach will impact more young people in a year than the average person does in a lifetime." COACHES HONOR is a ministry where discipleship is foremost. Wink Cherry and his wife,

Reina, are the leaders of COACHES HONOR. They have been a part of Campus Life as teachers and coaches. They know first-hand the power of influence of a coach's lifestyle on his or her athletes. Both have seen the need for spiritual nourishment in our schools today. Wink and Reina are encouraging models of the Christian faith.

During this time of quarantine & social distancing, Coaches Honor continues to believe it is important to do their best to gather together as a Body of Believers, as a Family. They are now hosting Zoom meetings. For more information on a study you can attend, you can visit their website at www.coacheshonor.org. They have also started a blog and are adding new entries regularly. Please check it out & follow along: www.coacheshonor.blogspot.com. Continue to keep them in prayer during this season of ministry as they continue to pursue new ways to reach people with the same message of the gospel.

COMMUNITY GROUPS

What are they?

The Bible is clear that God has designed life to be lived in dynamic relationships of trust and love. For this reason, Christ Church East also meets weekly in homes throughout the city for food, fellowship, Bible study and prayer. While groups meet weekly, they are not defined by a night of the week or a time on the clock. They are a people increasingly living their lives together and learning how to love one another in gospel community.

How do they work?

Groups are open to people in all seasons and walks of life. Each group provides child care so that the adults can focus on study, sharing, and prayer after a time of food and fellowship. On a regular basis, men and women break out separately to address gender specific needs.

If you are interested in joining a group, fill out a connect card, check the community group box and drop it off at the connect table after the service so that a leader can contact you. You are welcome to try several groups to determine which one might be the best fit for you and your family.

COMMUNITY BIBLE READING // MARCH 30 - APRIL 5

| Day | Date | Read |
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| Mon | 3/30/20 | John 4, Proverbs 17 |
| Tues | 3/31/20 | John 5, Proverbs 18 |
| Wed | 4/1/20 | John 6, Proverbs 19 |
| Thurs | 4/2/20 | John 7, Proverbs 20 |
| Fri | 4/3/20 | John 8, Proverbs 21 |
| Sat | 4/4/20 | John 9:1-10:21, Proverbs 22:1-16 |
| Sun | 4/5/20 | John 10:22-42, Proverbs 22:17-29 |