

DELIVERANCE

SET FREE TO LIVE AS JESUS PROMISED

Let's Talk

Have you ever had an experience that you cannot explain or rationalize from an earthly perspective? Have you ever experienced a supernatural event?

Let's Study

1. Spiritual warfare is carried out on three fronts. There is the Holy Trinity and the unholy trinity, which is the _____, the _____, and the _____. What do these words refer to, as outlined at the beginning of this week's sermon?
2. Read Ephesians 2:1-3. In the Sermon this week, Pastor Jon established that "before you were saved you belonged to the world, were owned by sin, and susceptible to the demonic." Have you ever heard of the phrase "unholy trinity" before? Describe your understanding of spiritual conflict in your own words, considering these verses and what you learned during the sermon.
3. Read Romans 7:15-16. What does it mean to sin in the flesh? Share a time in your life where you have experienced what Paul talks about here. Did you still "agree that the law was good"? Can your group identify other verses in Scripture that deal with sin?
4. Read 1 John 2: 15-16. What is worldliness? What are some versions of world systems, and what does God say about them? See if your group can find Scripture verses that talk about belonging to the world, worldliness, or world systems.
5. Read Matthew 4:8-9. What is the demonic? What does the devil own, and what does he offer to Jesus? Are there any other Scriptures that come to mind that describe the demonic?

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Let's Apply

1. Have you ever asked God to reveal to you the unholy trinity (the world, the flesh, and the devil) in your life? Read 1st John 5:19. Are you willing to ask Jesus to set you free from these unholy parts of your life?
2. Did you realize every non-Christian you know is owned by Satan? How does that affect how you view the world? How does that affect how grateful you are?
3. We learned this week that “everyone is owned by the devil or by Jesus, there is no in-between. Possession is positional, even with presence.” Pastor Jon encouraged us that we don't need to be afraid; it's about asking Jesus to give us the eyes to see the flesh and the devil. Remember, the Israelites were set free, but then wanted to go back to Egypt. Do you really want to be free?

Let's Pray

God, we ask that you open our eyes to the unholy trinity in our lives.

We ask you to reveal to each of us those parts of the world, the flesh, and the devil that are negatively influencing us and keeping us from a healthy relationship with You. We thank you God for being a loving, merciful God who never gives up on us. We ask for your forgiveness and we pray all this in the name of Jesus, our Lord and Saviour.

Amen