

Sermon Discussion Guide June 26, 2022 Overcoming the Enemy that Steals your Peace

Gather



... with your family

- ... with friends or your 3G Group on a Phone Conference or video call
- (eg. Zoom, Hangouts, House Party, FaceBook Watch Party)

Grow



Processing today's message...

- Aha! What did you learn? What challenged you?
- Uh-oh! What concerns did it raise?
- Hmmm! What do you need to think about some more?

Dig a little deeper...

- 1. What in life most steals your peace?
- 2. What do you think about the phrase, "your life moves in the direction of your strongest thoughts?" Do you agree with it why or why not?
- 3. Read Genesis 3:1-7... what do you notice about the serpent's schemes? What do you notice about Adam and Eve? What can we learn from this encounter?
- 4. Read Romans 12:2, John 8:32, Philippians 4:8-9 What do these teach about winning the war?
- 5. I shared in the message how the way to overcome the war is to Identify, Replace and Reframe the Lies of the enemy. Do you have any examples of victories in your life from renewing your mind?
- 6. What is the biggest lie you have embraced as truth in your life? What is a truth from God's word that combats this lie?

Go – How can you BLESS your neighbor this week?

- Begin with Prayer
- Listen
- Eat
- Serve
- Share Your Story

Overcoming the Enemy that Steals your Peace Genesis 3:1-7

The Problem: Our <u>mind</u> is a battlefield and often we are losing the war.

Big Learning: Your life moves in the direction of your strongest thoughts. We can win the war!

The Primary Weapon: The Lie! The battleground = is our minds

How To Win the Battle for our Minds: 3 Scriptures and 3 principles...

- 1) (Romans 12:2)
- 2) (John 8:32-33)
- 3) (Philippians 4:8-9)
- 1. <u>Identify</u> the Lies "You can't defeat what you can't define."

What Are some Lies you have been embracing as truth? _____

2. <u>Replace</u> the Lie with the <u>Truth</u> – Create a new Neural Pathway. (John 8:32-33pp, Phil. 4:8-9)

What is the truth of God's word that counteracts the devils lies?

3. <u>Reframe</u> the Lie – with a Declaration of Truth. (Write it, Memorize it, and Speak it regularly)

Write your Own Declaration: _____