SERMON SERIES: ALL OF THE TIME

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Key Line

"All of my Heart"

Introduction

Last week we finished up the sermon series "More Than Happy." This week we began a new sermon series called "All of the Time" where we celebrated Mother's Day and spoke about choosing to love God with all of our heart.

- What is something funny that maybe your child or someone else's child has said?
- What is a Mother's Day memory that you remember? (Funny or Sweet)

Seek the Word

Read Matthew 22:35-36

Why would the Pharisees want to ask Jesus a trick question?

Read Matthew 22:37

- Why is this commandment the most important command?
- What happens when you do all the other commands but not the first and most important commandment?

Look at Proverbs 4:23

What about the heart is so vital that we must guard it?

Read Psalm 19:14

• What happens when you allow your heart to meditate on God?

Talk About It

- Why does it matter that you check the "condition" of your heart?
- How do you tend to react when you are stressed? How might this reflect the condition of your heart?
- What could it look like to set our hearts on keeping your decrees every day?
- Share a time that maybe you did not guard your heart and it caused some damage.

Wrap Up

Reminder: "We don't have a memory problem, we have a meditation problem."

Challenge: Reflect on the things that you are meditating on that you don't even realize you are focusing on more than God, and let it help you redirect your focus to be filled with His word and wisdom.