

Pastor Brandon Sales • January 23-24, 2021
Adultery Within the Heart • Matthew 5:27-30
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²⁷“You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall not commit adultery.’ ²⁸But I say to you that everyone who looks at a woman with lustful intent has already committed adultery with her in his heart. ²⁹If your right eye causes you to sin, tear it out and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body be thrown into hell. ³⁰And if your right hand causes you to sin, cut it off and throw it away. For it is better that you lose one of your members than that your whole body go into hell.

Matthew 5:27-30 (ESV)

Big Issue: Viewing others as a tool to satisfy our appetite for physical and emotional pleasure

Processing Questions:

1. Am I regularly surrendering and resetting my heart to God’s view and teachings of sexuality?
2. Have I been honest with myself and God about any temptations to lust?
3. Do I have a community of friendships where I feel safe to be honest about subjects like lust?

A Prayer of Examination:

RECALL:

Think through key events and emotions of your day or week. Ask God to reveal thoughts, desires, words, and actions that fell short and revealed lust in your heart.

(Psalm 139:23-24)

REPENT:

Wherever you see words, thoughts, desires, and actions in your life that don’t look like Jesus: confess, receive His grace, and ask for His Spirit to empower you.

(1 John 1:9)

RENEW:

With hope, consider tomorrow. Ask God for wisdom, strength, and boldness to walk in His ways.

(1 Corinthians 10:13, Lamentations 3:22-23)

See second page for **What’s Happening with the Lighthouse Family...**

What's happening with the Lighthouse family...
Register for a weekend service at www.lighthousehome.org/gather.

Help grow the next generation: We are currently praying for a few dependable people to purposely dedicate some time to minister to our 1st-4th graders during our gatherings at 9:00am and 11:00am on Sundays. If you have a heart for kids and a relationship with Christ...YOU are just what KM2 needs! Shoot us an email at childrensministry@lighthousehome.org and let's discover how you can be a part of this ministry opportunity.

Candidates for Leadership Team: At our Annual Meeting on February 22, members of Lighthouse will vote on four candidates (two couples), Josh and Erin Meyer; and Andrew and Rebecca Schwebke, to serve on our Leadership Team over the next two years. Please visit www.lighthousehome.org/confirm and take the time to read through the Leadership Team's role in the process, what is required of those who serve on the LT, and bios for our candidates. Be sure to submit any questions you may have to office@lighthousehome.org BEFORE the Annual Meeting. If you are a voting member of LCC, come ready to vote in person at the Annual Meeting or vote proxy. Details coming soon.

Note to parents/guardians: Please be aware of certain sensitive subjects that will be part of the teachings as we go through the Sermon on the Mount. So that you may make informed decisions on how you and your children will engage with these topics, be sure to check out the dates and times below. We love our families and do our best to be as considerate as we can while being faithful to God's Word and what God is trying to teach us.

- January 23-24 - Matthew 5:27-30 - adultery and lust
- January 30-31 - Matthew 5:31-31 - divorce and remarriage

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