

Pastor Ryan Doughty • April 25-26, 2020

Accept No Imitations • 1 John 5:18-21

Main Truth: Guard yourself against idols by savoring the reality of God's love.

1) John's Warning: Guard yourself against idols. (vs. 21)

[Jonah 2:8](#)

What is the greatest idol of my heart?

2) Guard your heart by embracing your identity. (vs. 18-19)

Where have I given up the hope of seeing God's transformation in my life?

3) Guard your heart by embracing Christ's sufficiency.

"It would seem that Our Lord finds our desires not too strong, but too weak. We are half-hearted creatures, fooling about with drink and sex and ambition when infinite joy is offered us, like an ignorant child who wants to go on making mud pies in a slum because he cannot imagine what is meant by the offer of a holiday at the sea. We are far too easily pleased." - C.S. Lewis

Where is Jesus inviting me to find hope as I make space for His light and love?

What's happening with the LCC Family...

Communion on the Weekend of May 2-3 • Curbside pick-up of individually packaged communion elements from 9am-4:30pm at Lighthouse on Friday, May 1

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