

(prayed over by the elders) **Prayer Requests** 11/13/22

The Throne of your heart (This series is based off of Kyle Idleman's book "God's at war")

The god of romance & the god of family Genesis 29

Introduction- This week we will be looking at the "temple of love" and how even good things like the love of others and the love of family can become idolatrous when they are not placed in the proper order.

The god of romance

*** "You complete me".

Jacob was willing to sacrifice. Gen 29:16-18 God calls us to sacrificial love. Ephesians 5:25 We should look to God to fill our deepest need for love. Gen 29:35

Judah- "This time I will praise the Lord."

***Have you ever "fallen in love"? And fallen out of love? Do you look to people to fulfil your deepest need for love? Or are you looking to God to meet your needs that only He can?

The god of family

***Story from "The Great Divorce" C.S. Lewis

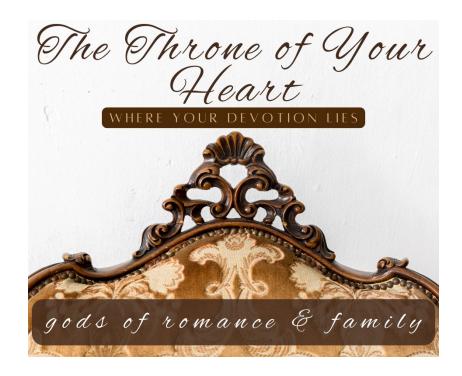
Love the Lord your God with all your heart, soul, mind, and strength. Deut 6:5, Mat 22:37-40

Abraham faced the hardest test imaginable. Gen 22, Heb 11:17 -19

You must hate everyone else by comparison. Luke 14:26

*** Do you have any unhealthy expectations of family members to meet needs that only God can? Do you love God first? And then let Him give you the capacity to love others through Him?

Conclusion/application- If you are single do you feel incomplete because you haven't found that special someone? If you are married, do you find that your spouse is constantly disappointing you? How do your sacrifices for romance compare to the sacrifices that you have made in your relationship to God? Who matters most to you in this world? Who would you sacrifice the most for? Have you ever personally sacrificed out of vour commitment and devotion to Christ?



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Helping people take the next step in their relationship with God.

Welcome!

We're glad you're here.

If you are a visitor today or church member with a prayer request or if you need to contact a staff member or elder, please take a moment to fill out the attached connection card and place it in the offering plate, located at the back of the sanctuary.

Nursery is available for children ages 0 up to 4 years old. KidZone is available today for kids age 4-5th grade. Today's KidZone volunteers are Andrea Halstead and Tatum Heiser. All our workers have clearances and have been properly trained.

Mike Counsil will be leading us in prayer.

Pastor Ron will be blessing us with the message today. The god of romance & the god of family

The worship team will be leading the following songs: Reckless Love, King of My Heart, God You Are, and Amazing Grace (My Chains are Gone).

Office hours to be determined. Contact us on our cell phones if you need access to us or buildings.

Sunday
9:30am Worship Service 11:00am Good to Great

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