

1 Youth Ministry

Grades 7-12

June 30, 2022 Episode 7 - Reckoning Part 2



Sundays at 9:30am The Chosen Season 2



Summer Movie Series The Chosen Season 1 See Below



Paused for the Summer Every Wednesday at 7pm

Questions answered about The Chosen by the director

Midweek Youth Paused for the Summer

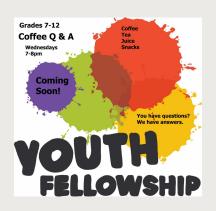
Join us every Wed. from 7-8pm for fellowship and prayer along with lessons applying Biblical principles to your life today and get answers to all your questions.

Foster Care Teens Personal Care Items

We are still collecting

"Personal Care Items" for teens in foster care throughout the year. Items for both male and female teens are being collected in the bin just outside our youth room. These items will be sorted into personal bags and given to DCS to be distributed to teens who may not even have their own tooth brush or comb.

This Week's Bible Verse



Wednesday Nights at 7:00pm

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Watch for our exciting new
Wed nights!
You have questions? We
have answers! Join us for
coffee, tea, juice, hot
chocolate, and light snacks

while we discuss whatever is on your mind.

Watch for our new "Coffee Q & A" on Wednesday nights

Coming Soon!

Sundays at 9:30am



Reckoning Part 2

A couple of Sundays ago, we finished Episode 7 from Season 2 of The Chosen called "Reckoning". We

Matthew 6:5-13

⁵ "And when you pray, you shall not be like the hypocrites. For they love to pray standing in the synagogues and on the corners of the streets, that they may be seen by men. Assuredly, I say to you, they have their reward. ⁶ But you, when you pray, go into your room, and when you have shut your door, pray to your Father who is in the secret place; and your Father who sees in secret will reward you openly. And when you pray, do not use vain repetitions as the heathen do. For they think that they will be heard for their many words. ⁸ "Therefore do not be like them. For your Father knows the things you have need of before you ask Him. 9 In this manner, therefore, pray: Our Father in heaven, Hallowed be Your name. 10 Your kingdom come. Your will be done On earth as it is in heaven. 11 Give us this day our daily bread. ¹² And forgive us our debts, As we forgive our debtors. ¹³ And do not lead us into temptation, But deliver us from the evil one. For Yours is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever. Amen.

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concluded that this episode could have definitely been called **Overcoming fear with faith**.

We talked about how the Disciples were letting fear and worry distract them and stop them from doing God's work (planning for the sermon). We looked at the story of David & Goliath for an example of Saul's army letting fear stop them but David, by his faith, was able to beat Goliath.

We looked at how your fear can not only stop you from doing God's work but it spreads like wildfire to keep others from doing God's work as we saw with Andrew and Tamar who was telling everyone about Jesus until Andrew's fear stopped her.

The Disciples were even arguing about what Jesus meant when He told them, "I'll be back" with some saying that maybe He meant that they should rescue Him. We said that besides letting fear stop us from doing God's work, we sometimes decide things aren't going the way that WE think they should so we try to do things on our own, in our own way. We said that Jesus ALWAYS did God's will, whatever it was.

We also mentioned the way some of the Disciples were treating Mary and even blaming her for Jesus being arrested. Jesus forgave Mary for what she did and said "it's over" but it's not so easy for others to forgive and it's sometimes even harder for us to forgive ourselves.

We said that not only does God not want us living in fear, He wants us to **BE** forgiven and to also forgive others.

Of course Jesus returned after His conversation with Quintus, just as He said He would. He tells His Disciples that they need to learn to do what He does and that they can't just shutdown when things get difficult or when they are afraid. They can't let fear stop them from doing God's work. They need to have faith in Him.

We said that the enemy will always encourage our fears because he knows it will distract us from following God's plan for us. We said that keeping our faith in Jesus will help us overcome our fear and allow us to keep moving forward instead of staying stuck.

They asked Jesus to teach them to pray like He does. Jesus taught them what we now know as "The Lord's Prayer". We noticed that He didn't just teach them another prayer to memorize and mindlessly recite. Instead, He taught them HOW to pray rather than WHAT to pray.

We said that what we call "The Lord's Prayer", found in

