

The 10 Commandments

6TH – ADULTERY!! (don't do it, seriously!!)

Confirmation - Lesson B15

Memory Verse - 'Flee from sexual immorality. Every other sin a person commits is outside the _____, but the sexually immoral person sins against his own _____.' **1 Corinthians 6:18**

6th Commandment - 'You shall not commit _____.' Exodus 20:14

- _____ - voluntary sexual intercourse between a _____ person and a person who is not his or her spouse.

God created sex and it's _____!!! It's intended for _____, _____, and _____ within marriage!

- **Genesis 1:27-31** - Be fruitful & multiply! (_____)
- **Genesis 2:24-25** - Become one flesh! (_____)
- **Song of Songs 1:2** - As a wedding gift! (_____ within marriage)
- The 6th Commandment is not just about a _____ interpretation of not having sex with someone else when you are married, but Jesus expands it to looking with _____ intent!

Why should I wait to have sex until I am married?

- God's desire for sex is to be with _____ person, of the opposite sex, within _____.
- God designed sex to increase emotional _____ to strengthen relationship & commitment.
- Sexual sin is _____ than any other _____ and has greater potential consequence
- Even if you remove religion, there are tremendous _____ of pre-marital sex
- Children born out of _____ fall behind in every major, measurable statistic
- Christ followers are called to go against the norms and standards of _____!
 - **Romans 12:2** - 'Do not be _____ to this world, but be _____ by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect.'
- _____, _____, and _____ are all deviations from God's design and Satan capitalizes on them!
- Our goal should be _____ and _____, not pushing physical boundaries

NEXT STEPS:

- Pray for a change of _____ (Matthew 15:19)
- Honor God's _____ and allow Him to guide us, not society!
- Be _____ in relationships and set good boundaries to not be tempted
- Sexual temptation is a battle & we continue to _____! We trust God provides a way out!
 - **1 Cor. 10:13** - No _____ has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and He will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation He will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it.
- If we fall short, we _____, receive God's _____ and recommit to honor Him!

Main Point: _____ is a tremendous gift created by God, intended for marriage of the opposite sex! We are called to honor God's creation through purity in _____, _____, and _____.

Reflection Time

Use this space to silently reflect on these questions:

1) What is something new that I learned about the 6th Commandment?

2) What does culture teach you about sex and sexuality?

3) Is there anything that you disagreed with today?

4) What does it mean that God & the Bible are our only source for morality with regard to sex? Do you live this way?

5) **1 Corinthians 10:12-13** says, *'Therefore let anyone who thinks that he stands take heed lest he fall. 13 No temptation has overtaken you that is not common to man. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tempted beyond your ability, but with the temptation he will also provide the way of escape, that you may be able to endure it. How does this apply to the 6th Commandment?*

Family Time

Don't commit adultery - B15

Your Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____

(please print your name so we can read it)

(DON'T turn in with a legit parent sig!!)

Family Time is meant to be an opportunity to get the family talking about spiritual things. Multiple studies show that parents and grandparents are the #1 faith role models in a child's life. We know life is busy, but we want to give you opportunities to grow together. A great time to do this is in the car, while eating a meal, or simply anytime you can enjoy together.

Memory Verse- *'Flee from sexual immorality. Every other sin a person commits is outside the body, but the sexually immoral person sins against his own body.'* **1 Corinthians 6:18**

1) **Ask your parent(s):** What did their parents talk to them about regarding sex, or did they? How old were they? Did it help? Was it a healthy talk or super awko-taco (awkward)?

2) **Ask your parent(s):** What was the perspective on sexuality when they were your age and how do they think it has changed in society?

3) As a family, watch 1-3 minutes, of **2 different** Primetime TV shows (8pm or later, on ABC, CBS, NBC, FOX---not the news! Netflix works too). List the show and describe the level of sexuality.

1 - _____

2 - _____

4) Have your parents look up in Luther's Small Catechism the four ways that we are to lead a sexually pure and holy life (*question 68 on pages 94-95*) and write them down as they share.

A) _____

B) _____

C) _____

D) _____

5) Now, choose one of the 4 items above---brainstorm with your parents and **list 2 ways** that someone could honor God in this way.

1) _____

2) _____

6) Parents, what additional advice would you want to give your students about this topic & students, are there any questions you want to ask your parents?? (**get over the weirdness!!**)

7) Read 1 Corinthians 10:12-13---What does this mean and how can you avoid sexual temptation?

8) Pray together as a family---pray for sexual purity, pray against temptation, pray that you can honor the opposite gender, and pray that you do not conform to the pattern of the world!