

Piece by Piece - Threats to Marriage

April 16-17, 2016

Community:

1. During your childhood, what did you do for fun? How has that changed from what you are seeing kids do now?
2. Last week you wrote down parts of your life that needed to be cleaned up. How do those things look just one short week later?

Core:

1. What does a marriage belonging to God look like?
2. How do you think marriage shows who God is? How does it mirror the relationship between Jesus and the Church?
3. We bring ignorance and misperceptions into marriage. If you are married, how have you done this? If you aren't married, what perceptions do you have of marriage?

4. Read Ephesians 4:25.

- Where do you speak truth the least in your relationships? How can you put away or cast off falsehood?
5. How crazy are you willing to be to protect your marriage?
 - If you are married, what walls can you put in place to better protect your marriage?
 - If you are single, what can you start doing today so that when you are married you don't have to take drastic steps to protect it?

Challenge:

- Scott asked us to make Psalm 139: 23-24 our prayer for the week.
- Write this verse down on sticky notes and put them in places that will remind you throughout the day to pray it. (Mirrors, dashboard, computer screens etc.)