

Sermon Notes & Reflections

Worship focus

Religion can become a major distraction from the heart of Christianity: a personal relationship with Jesus. Jesus restores the focus when He teaches us to love God and love others. Because we are loved by God, we respond first by loving Him. Flowing from that love we also love those around us, which means sharing with them the hope of salvation in Jesus. How are you sharing and teaching Jesus' love to the people that God has placed right in front of you? Brookfield Lutheran Church is here to equip and train you so that you might be sent out in various capacities. What are you intentionally doing to be equipped for the mission? Do your priorities line up with God's priorities?

Scripture

Deuteronomy 6:4-9; 1 Peter 3:15-18; 1 Timothy 1:6-13; Mark 12:28-31

God's Word to remember

Religion vs. Relationship

What does loving God with all your heart, soul and mind really mean? (Deuteronomy 6:4-9)

How does this apply in my life priorities?

Matthew 4:18-20