



Sermon Title: A Loving God - Sexuality Pastor Ryan McClelland

Scripture Reference: Multiple - See Guide Below

Connection:

- What do you remember most from last week's sermon?
- How did you hear God's voice or sense His presence this past week?

Reflection:

- Summarize today's sermon in one to three sentences. What was the main point of the message?
- What did the message say about you, God's people or the world?

Application

- Re read Ephesians 2:8-10. What does this passage mean? Why did Pastor Ryan start here?
- Re read 2nd Timothy 4:3. What does this verse mean? Why did Pastor Ryan start here?
- Re read Genesis 2:7-22. What do we learn about creation and sexuality? Reflect on Genesis 3. What did The Fall do to human practice of sexuality?
- What are examples of modern day distortions of God's Word regarding sexuality? What are examples of sexual sin in the world?
- Re read Romans 1:21-27. What does this passage mean?
- Re read Matthew 5:28. Why is the heart important? Why is lust a big deal?
- Explain these takeaways from Pastor Ryan. What are the implications of these beliefs? How might we live them out, and share them with the lost?
 - God made humans originally hetero-cisgender – biological man and woman.

- All other kinds of sexual expressions, identities, desires other than hetero-cisgender are not what God intended or how He made us.
- All humans are sexually broken regardless of their lifestyle.
- Your sexuality is not your own to determine, it is yours to steward in a way that glorifies God.
- A loving God gave us Jesus and all of us need Jesus.
- What are ways our church should live in light of this teaching? How can we promote sexual purity and godliness?
- End by praying together for our church to have a solid Biblical understanding and practice of sexuality. Pray for folks in the LGBTQIA+ community. Pray Matthew 11:28 for us to have rest in Christ Jesus and for folks to come to Him.
- End by praying together for a deeper trust in Jesus, and for many to receive hope through Jesus. Pray for New Horizons to be a lighthouse in Spokane, and for the Pathways project.