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Sunday Morning Messages

New Sermon Series April 7 – May 5

MENTAL HEALTH

April 7 – “Sin or Not”

(1 Thessalonians 5:14)

Pastor Anthony Whitlatch

April 14 – “Spiritual Abuse”

(Matthew 23)

Pastor Anthony Whitlatch with guest professional, Mindelle Will

April 21 – “Social Conflict – Teens”

(Luke 17:3, Ephesians 4:29, Romans 12:17)

Pastor Anthony Whitlatch with guest professional, Alicia Padilla

April 28 – “Self Regulation”

(2 Timothy 1:7, Galatians 5:22-23)

Pastor Anthony Whitlatch with guest professional, Loretta White

May 5 – “Relational Trauma”

(John 8:31-32, Hebrew 6:18)

Pastor Anthony Whitlatch w/ guest professional, Karissa Whitlatch

Mental Illness – Sin or Not?

1 Thessalonians 5:14

April 7, 2024

Pastor Anthony Whitlatch

Isaiah 5:20 – “Woe to those who call evil good, and good evil; Who substitute darkness for light and light for darkness; Who substitute bitter for sweet and sweet for bitter!”

- **We have to be _____ that we don’t misdiagnose**

How do we tell where mental health begins/ends and where sin begins/ends (do they ever overlap)??

ANSWER- _____

Things to consider

1. Humanity sees _____
2. God sees _____
 - a. 1 Chronicles 28:9 “As for you, my son Solomon, know the God of your father, and serve Him with a whole heart and a willing mind; for the LORD searches all hearts, and understands every intent of the thoughts...”
 - b. Psalms 147:5 “Great is our Lord, and Almighty in power; His understanding is infinite.”
 - c. 1 John 3:20 “For if our heart condemns us, God is greater than our heart, and knows all things”
 - d. Romans 11:33 “Oh, the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and unfathomable His ways!

3. _____ has affected all of

a. Our _____
i. Romans 12:2

b. Our _____
i. Death

c. Our _____
i. Jeremiah 17:9

d. Our _____
i. Romans 3

4. The _____ of God is NOT
dependent on our ability to _____ it

God's job is to decide where _____

Our job is to _____

1 Thessalonians 5:14 “We urge you, brethren, admonish the unruly, encourage the fainthearted, help the weak, be patient with everyone.

If it's a sin issue... I have _____ because I'm a sinner too!

If it's a mental issue... I have _____ because sin has affected all things, not necessarily always our own sin directly.

Patience doesn't mean no _____ and

patience doesn't mean no _____

God Knows...and Our Response is Patience!