

4 Questions for the passage (self-study):

What is God teaching us about Himself?

What is God teaching us about our self?

What is God teaching us about others?

So what?

Rock Solid Series - Gospel of John

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Start Right & Finish Strong – Love Gives Strength

“The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and produces wonderful results.” James 5:16b (NLT)

February 26, 2023 – Pastor Matt

February 5 – Be Connected
February 12 – Marty Preaching
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February 26 – Be Prayerful

Focus Text: John 17

Introduction:

- Have you had the experience of someone **PRAYING OVER** you?
- If you heard **JESUS**, what would you hear?

Personal Insights: _____

17:1-5 – Jesus prays for HIMSELF

17:6-19 – Jesus prays for His DISCIPLES

17:20-26 – Jesus prays for future BELIEVERS

Here is the model, Pray to be PROTECTED vs. 11b

- The protection from being left in **THE WORLD**

Personal Insights: _____

Here is the model, Pray to be UNIFIED vs. 11b

- Difference between unity and **UNIFORMITY**

Personal Insights: _____

Here is the model, Pray to be SAFE vs.15b

- Safety directly related to **THE EVIL ONE**

Personal Insights: _____

Here is the model, Pray to be HOLY vs.17a

- One of our problems today is the weak **CHURCH**

Personal Insights: _____

Here is the model, Pray to be TEACHABLE vs. 17b

- Discover the path through the **WORD**

Personal Insights: _____

Here is the model, Pray to EXPERIENCE UNITY

- Unity with **GOD** leads to unity with **OTHERS**

Personal Insights: _____

Prayer will change YOU – are you ready?

SO What – NOW What _____

Prayer Concerns:

Notes for Personal Study:



SERMON NOTES

The Church that Jesus commissioned is a Church that must be a Disciple-Making Church! The Bible shows a disciple is one who has encountered Christ, been changed by Christ and is following Christ with other believers.

I see the Sunday message as one part of the disciple-making process, so I am intentional with sermon notes. Please note:

1. The blanks that are provided are intended to provide a framework for God’s message to you.
2. The personal insight blanks are intended for you to reflect on what God is saying to you.
3. The sermon notes and your notes are intended for us to move through an intentional, discipleship process.

I pray today’s message strengthens you in your walk with Jesus and the overflow impacts others!

Pastor Matt