

"PRACTICES OF THE WAY: MAKE TIME"

Welcome to our summer series on living more fully by engaging in spiritual exercise. Followers of Christ have utilized meaningful practices throughout the ages to grow spiritually. Our Sunday messages are dedicated to that pursuit.

Exodus 34:29-35

#1. Why? His Presence changes you

"And the Lord—makes us more and more like him as we are changed (transformed) into his glorious image." II Corinthians 3:18, NLT

The Lord's main goal for us is not getting us to heaven, but forming us into the image of Christ. Romans 8:29

#2. What? The Priority of being in His Presence

Psalm 63:1-8

"Very early in the morning . . . he prayed."

Mark 1:35

Put first things first

#3. How? Practice His Presence as top Priority

"Three times a day . . . just as he had done before."

Daniel 6:10

Luke 10:38-42

You must — carve out time!

Reflective Questions:

- 1) What is your favorite kind of exercise? Why do you like it?
- 2) What stands out to you from this teaching about making time for God? Why?
- 3) How might you carve out more time for God? What might that look like? What is keeping you from doing it?



THE Marion County Fair

Sunday, July 15
Gather at the Fair

In just two weeks we will meet at 9:30am for our Sunday Gathering at the Marion County Fair. Pick up free tickets for you, your friends & family at the counter in the Lobby today. Your attendance makes a big difference for God's Kingdom.