

“1 Corinthians 10:13”

Message 5 in the series,

“The 6 Bible Verses that Can Change Your Life”

“No temptation has overtaken you except what is common to all people. And God is faithful; He will not let you be tempted beyond what you can bear. But when you are tempted, He will also provide a way out so that you can endure it.”

TODAY'S MAIN IDEA:

What do I want to be _____ ?

A Working Definition of Temptation:

- An enticement to SIN
- A trial of a person's _____, _____, or _____

Teaching Points on Temptations:

- Are not sins... _____.
- Every Christian struggles with them. Every one.
- Christians are tempted especially when they _____.
- Tempt us because we think that the “object” is something we “_____”
- Hit us in an area of _____.
- Hit us in a weak spot of our _____.
- God always provides an “_____”

MY COMMITMENTS:

- I will be faithful to Jesus Christ.
- I will love my spouse (family) sacrificially.
- I will bless my family and friends by choosing never to live a lie.
- I will leave a legacy of honor.

Add your own additional commitments here:

- _____
- _____

FOR GROW GROUPS AND PERSONAL REFLECTION:

1. Read 1 Corinthians 10:1-17. What is the larger context of the Apostle Paul's comment in verse 13? How does that context relate to today's culture? to being a follower of Jesus today?
2. Recite the Lord's Prayer out loud. What do you think it means when we ask God to “lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil”? How, personally, have you seen God deliver you from temptation?
3. Based on Pastor David's message, how do you react to his statement, “Nobody plans to fall into temptation. We fall into temptation because we fail to plan NOT to.”
4. For those who are willing to go deeper and be vulnerable with trusted Christian friends, feel free to share confidentially a temptation that you struggle with --- and allow your friends to pray for you, as we hold one another accountable for growing in Christ.
5. As you've listened to the message or as you read the Scripture passages, what is God bringing to your mind and heart? What do you want to do about it?