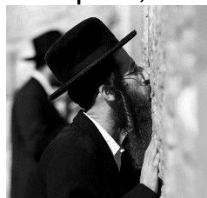


Stop Turning My Father's House into a Marketplace

John 2:13-17



Christ is not for sale. Worship must be heartfelt and focused. Knowing God is simple, but not always easy. When Jesus saw the worship of Yahweh being disrupted, He went into action. He couldn't just stand by and watch relationship with God be abused.



1. Mark the number of times you hear these words:

Temple –
Priest(s) –
Worship(per) –

2. What was Jerusalem like during Passover time?

3. #1 Offense: _____: At the _____, _____ trumped _____

4. How did the temple come into existence?

5. What happens when greed controls religion?

6. #2 Offense: _____: _____ for the High Priest trumped _____ for the _____

7. What was the attitude of Jews toward Gentiles?

8. What happens when you don't think of others?

9. #3 Offense: _____: _____ trumped _____

10. What made the Passover circumstances difficult for worshippers?

11. What happens when your heart is not in worship?

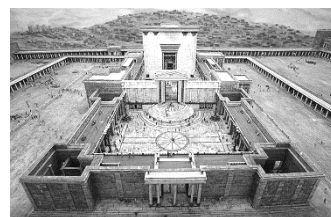
12. #4 Offense: _____: Jesus' _____ trumped any concern about _____

13. What was Jesus prefiguring through His actions?

14. Where does godly sorrow lead?

15. How is it possible to commercialize Christianity?

16. What is the result of confusion and corruption at God's House?



Faith Talk, Faith Walk

Spend time with family or friends (maybe over a meal or during a family devotional) discussing the following related to the sermon

Faith Talk: What would have been your reaction if you had been there when Jesus upset things? Why?

Faith Walk: Take worshipping God seriously, and help others do the same.

If you are here and have been touched or convicted by something said or done today we would love to study the Bible with you and introduce you more fully to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Just call the church office at 795-4377 and we will set something up. God bless you!

Next Sunday AM Sermon – You Must be Born Again! (John 3:1-8)