

Series: This Is Us
Sermon: "What to do with the Gaps?"
June 11, 2017

1. The sermon referenced two movies, "Juno" and "Wonder Woman". Both excerpts referenced a dismal view of marriage. Do you believe this is how most people feel about marriage? If so, why?

2. Read Genesis 1:26. What does being made in the image of God have to do with marriage and our desire to be in love?

3. What are some ways you are different from your husband/wife or someone you have a close relationship with? When do those differences surface?

4. Read 1 Corinthians 13:4-6.
 - A. Read the verses that begin chapter 13...1 Corinthians 13:1-3. Why do you think Paul begins this way.
 - B. In verses 4-6, which characteristic of love is most difficult for you?

5. The sermon highlighted the gap in our actions between "we know we should be, but sometimes we are not". Why is there this gap in our actions toward others?

6. Read 1 Corinthians 13:7. What does this verse mean? Are we encouraged to take this verse literally?

7. When there is a gap in your relationship, do you have a tendency to believe the best or assume the worst? On the continuum below, where do you place yourself?

Believe the best.....Assume the worst

8. The statement was made, "If you tend to assume the worst rather than believe the best, chances are your partner is afraid of you." Share why you agree or disagree with this statement.

9. Share how the group can pray for you and/or your relationship at this time.