“Sunday: Fun Day or Son Day?”  
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Isaiah 58:13-14  
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Introduction:  
A. As we begin the New Year in a few days, I want to challenge us to make a renewed commitment to the priority of the ________ ______.
B. Sadly, there is a growing ____________ among Christians about the priority of the Lord’s Day.

I. The ____________ of the Lord’s Day.  
A. The “Lord’s Day” should not be confused with “the day of the Lord.”  
   1. “The day of the Lord” refers to the day of the Lord’s ________.
   2. The “Lord’s Day” refers to the ______ day of the week, or ________.
B. Biblical references to the first day of the week include Acts 20:7 and 1 Cor. 16:2.
   1. The writings of the early ____________ attests to the priority of the Lord’s Day (Didache, Ignatius, Justin Marty).
C. Keeping the Lord’s Day has many benefits for the individual, the family, the _______, and for ____________.

II. The ____________ on the Lord’s Day.  
A. Some may remember an era when the Lord’s Day was honored as a day of ________ and ________.
B. The assault on the Lord’s Day comes from at least three sources.
   1. For many, the Lord’s Day is just a time for ______________.
   2. For many, the Lord’s Day is just a time for ______________.
   3. For many, the Lord’s Day is just a time for ______________.

III. Our ____________ to the Lord’s Day.  
A. Respect for the Lord’s Day comes from respect for the _____ of ______ and a spirit of __________ to Him.
   1. If we seek to honor the _____ and the Lord’s Day, then surely we will be _____________. (Isaiah 58:13-14)
B. A commitment to the Lord’s Day should include the following:
   1. Participation in Sunday ________ and ________.
   2. Dedication to the Lord and ____________ with His ________.
C. Illustration of man who went to the market with __________ _______.