

WELCOME TO STILLWATER EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH

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SERMON SERIES NO MORTAL MAN

ORDER OF SERVICE May 8, 2022

Worship Through Music

Welcome and Announcements

Worship Through Music

Worship Through God's Word

Pastor Nick Hardt
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Mark 8:1-26

Closing Prayer and Praise

Sundays

9:00-10:05 am First Worship Service
10:30-11:35 am Second Worship Service
10:30-11:35 am Children's Sunday School 4 yrs.- 6th grade

Wednesdays

May 4 - last day of Awana
12:2 Youth Group 6:30-8:15 pm 7th-12th grade

ACTIVITIES/EVENTS/OPPORTUNITIES/ANNOUNCEMENTS

If you are new to our church or would like to expand your connection and let us know your interests, please fill out the "Get Connected @ SEFC" card that's on the bottom of the sermon notes. Add a prayer request on the back if you'd like. Drop the card in one of the offering boxes. For every new contact SEFC will donate \$10 to our local food shelf!

MOTHER'S DAY FLOWER SALE

We have violets and begonias for sale today. Proceeds will be donated to Options for Women.

MEN'S DISCIPLESHIP AND FELLOWSHIP

Men, join us for a few Monday evenings for some discipleship and fellowship! A 4-week study of *Job* starting May 2nd @ 7pm here at church.

BRIDAL SHOWER INVITATION For The Ladies of SEFC

You're invited to a bridal shower for Ada Lachapelle (Eli Haire's fiancé) on Thursday, May 26 from 6:30-8:30 pm in the new fellowship area. Desserts and beverages will be served. Ada and Eli are registered at <https://www.theknot.com/us/eli-haire-and-ada-lachapelle-jul-2022> Please email RSVP to Temre Pugh at tpugh@comcast.net or text 651-351-7231.

LOOKING AHEAD

- May 22 last day of Sunday School
- May 22 congregational meeting, 6:00 pm
- May 29 change to summer worship schedule
 - 1 service at 10:00-11:05 am
 - children's church: dismissed after worship music-11:05 am

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING, MAY 22, 6:00 PM

We will vote on church leadership positions, review and vote on the proposed budget for next fiscal year, and vote on new member candidates.

SPRING IS FINALLY HERE AND THAT MEANS LAWN MOWING!

We value our lawn mowing volunteers ~ Thank you so much! The sign up sheet for mowing is in the lobby.

NURSERY CARE AVAILABLE DOWNSTAIRS

9:00am Infants & Toddlers together.
10:30am Infant Room (6 wks.- walking stably)
10:30am Toddler Room (20 mo.-3 yrs.)
Please take infants and toddlers to care rooms prior to the start of service.

WI-FI GUEST NETWORK: SEFC Guest Password: sefcguest

weekly on Mondays Men's Prayer Time, 6:00am
May 9, 7:00 pm Men's Discipleship - study of Job, at church

Events are listed on our online calendar, www.stillwaterefc.org

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A Familiar Lesson

On The Compassion of Jesus

Filling spiritual needs

vs. 1-2; 6:34; Is. 55:1-3

To those _____

vs. 2-3; Lk. 1:53

vs. 1-3; Matt. 6:31-33

On The (limited) Tolerance of God

Cynical testing

vs. 11&15; Dt. 6:16

Visible frustration at unbelief

vs. 12; Gen. 6:3; Rom. 2:4-5

On The Understanding of Disciples

Minds that do not _____

vs. 18; 6:51-52; Ex. 16:3

Ears that do not hear spiritual truth

vs. 18-21; Jer. 5:21

Eyes that do not _____

vs. 23-25; Matt. 13:16

Notes:

1 In those days, when again a great crowd had gathered, and they had nothing to eat, he called his disciples to him and said to them, 2 "I have compassion on the crowd, because they have been with me now three days and have nothing to eat. 3 And if I send them away hungry to their homes, they will faint on the way. And some of them have come from far away." 4 And his disciples answered him, "How can one feed these people with bread here in this desolate place?" 5 And he asked them, "How many loaves do you have?" They said, "Seven." 6 And he directed the crowd to sit down on the ground. And he took the seven loaves, and having given thanks, he broke them and gave them to his disciples to set before the people; and they set them before the crowd. 7 And they had a few small fish. And having blessed them, he said that these also should be set before them. 8 And they ate and were satisfied. And they took up the broken pieces left over, seven baskets full. 9 And there were about four thousand people. And he sent them away. 10 And immediately he got into the boat with his disciples and went to the district of Dalmanutha. 11 The Pharisees came and began to argue with him, seeking from him a sign from heaven to test him. 12 And he sighed deeply in his spirit and said, "Why does this generation seek a sign? Truly, I say to you, no sign will be given to this generation." 13 And he left them, got into the boat again, and went to the other side.

Mark 8:1-13