Anger for the Glory of God
Sunday, October 24, 2021
Lead/Founding Pastor: Ryan Rice

**The Passage**
John 2:13-17, ESV

**Understanding Your Anger**
*Two Questions to Ask Yourself*
*Ephesians 4:26-27, James 1:19, Psalm 103:8*

1. **What kind of anger issue is it?**
   - ✓ **Righteous** Anger
     *Matthew 23, Matthew 21:12-17, Mark 11:15-19, Revelation 19:11-16*
     - Intended to help
     - Restoration
     - Controlled
     - Spirit directed
   - ✓ **Unrighteous** Anger
     *Matthew 2:16, Proverbs 15:1, Galatians 5:19-21, James 1:19-20*
     - Intended to hurt
     - Retaliation
     - Uncontrolled
     - Self-directed

2. **What kind of person am I?**
   - ✓ **Spewer**
     *Proverbs 14:17, Proverbs 14:29, Proverbs 29:11, Proverbs 29:22*
   - ✓ **Stewer**
     *Psalm 32:3, Ruth 1:20, Job 2:9, Ephesians 4:31-32*

**How to Exercise Anger for the Glory of God**

1. **Hate** evil and **love** what is good.
   *Proverbs 8:13, Amos 5:15, Romans 12:9*

2. **Say** and **do** what needs to be done.
   *2 Thessalonians 3:13, James 4:17, Colossians 3:17, Micah 6:8*

3. Remember Jesus will **return**.
   *Romans 12:19, 2 Peter 2:9, Revelation 19:11-16*

**Talk It Over**

Ice Breaker - What do you act like when you get angry? Any interesting mannerisms or funny behaviors? Please dare to share.☺ We all want to laugh at you. I mean with you. How about the leader goes first!

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- ✓ Review the message outline. What stood out to you and why?
- ✓ Review the passage. John 2:13-17, ESV. What stood out and why?
- ✓ Why was Jesus' anger justifiable?
- ✓ What kind of anger do you experience most often?
- ✓ Are you a spewer or stewer? What does that look like?
- ✓ Pastor Ryan listed three ways to live in the right relationship with anger. Which one is most applicable to you and why?
- ✓ Take some time to pray for one another.