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Explore our Membership Class, April 30 to May 1. Register sojournchurch.com/news-events

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Two Men, Two Prayers,
Two Destinies
Luke 18:9-14

UPCOMING EVENTS

Men's Retreat April 23-24.

Final chance to register. Sign up today at the Next Steps booth, or:

Visit: sojournchurch.com

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Be A Sojourn Member!

Our next Membership class takes place at the East campus, but is open to attendees at either campus. It's a two day class: Friday April 30 (6:30 to 8:30pm) & Saturday May 1 (9am to 2pm). To register and learn more:

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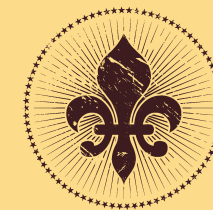
The 930 Office Hours

Sunday – Services

Monday – Closed

Tuesday – Friday – 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Saturday – Closed



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COMMUNITY CHURCH

KNOW WHAT'S HAPPENING

Vision Update: Pray With Us On Tuesday

Every Tuesday morning in April, join the pastors in praying for this city, at either campus. We'll begin at 6:30am and pray together using the new "Sojourn Prayer Project" poster (pick up a free copy at the Info Table if you do not have one).

Get Your Sojourn Event Calendar

To view the official Sojourn event calendar any time:

Visit: sojournchurch.com

Click: "Calendar" at the top.

You can also pick up a hard copy at the Info Table right after the service today.

⁹To some who were confident of their own righteousness and looked down on everybody else, Jesus told this parable. ¹⁰"Two men went up to the temple to pray, one a Pharisee and the other a tax collector. ¹¹The Pharisee stood up and prayed about himself: 'God, I thank you that I am not like other men—robbers, evildoers, adulterers—or even like this tax collector. ¹²I fast twice a week and give a tenth of all I get.' ¹³"But the tax collector stood at a distance. He would not even look up to heaven, but beat his breast and said, 'God, have mercy on me, a sinner.' ¹⁴"I tell you that this man, rather than the other, went home justified before God. For everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted.'" (LUKE 18:9-14)

JESUS' STORY

A STORY FOR THE SELF-RIGHTEOUS (VERSE 9)

TWO MEN WENT UP INTO THE TEMPLE TO PRAY (VERSE 10)

THE CONFIDENT PRAYER OF THE PHARISEE (VERSES 11-12)

THE PRAYER OF THE TAX COLLECTOR (VERSE 13)

THE POINT OF THE PARABLE (VERSE 14)

KEY TAKE-HOME

THE PURSUIT OF MORALITY MAY SEPARATE ME FROM GOD FOREVER.

IF I HAVE TRUE FAITH I WILL NEVER OUTGROW A DEEP UNDERSTANDING OF MY OWN SINFULNESS.

IF I REALLY GET THE GOSPEL THEN IT WILL DRAMATICALLY AFFECT THE WAY I SEE OTHER PEOPLE.



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