



"In the Middle"

Sermon Notes - March 28, 2021

1. "We are all in this boat of life together; if your end is leaking, I need to be helping you bail water!"
 - Describe a time recently when your actions reflected the selfishness that lurks in every human heart.
 - If Jesus had been thinking only about Himself, would the scene on Calvary have looked different? How?

2. Have you ever “stood by watching” as someone suffered? If so, how did you feel at the time? Later?
- If God had “stood by watching” our suffering, how would your life have been impacted?
3. In a very real sense, we are the sinners crucified on the right and left of Jesus; and like them, we have a choice to make about the Man in the middle . . . that choice has temporal and eternal consequences.
- When Jesus overcame death, He opened the way for us to begin to really live before we die. Are you really living or is something missing in your life?
 - You’re going to spend eternity in either heaven or hell; where are you going?

