

GOD'S RHYTHMS

Margin

SERIES BIG IDEA:

_____ demands _____.

_____ drives _____.

God's mission for our lives is to have a loving relationship with _____ and to have loving relationships with _____.

TEACHING BIG IDEA:

I will fall into God's rhythm and create margin for _____.

⁵God called the light "day," and the darkness he called "night." And there was evening, and there was morning—the first day.

Genesis 1:5 (NIV)

We start our day in the _____.

God started our day in the _____.

²⁷So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them.

Genesis 1:27 (NIV)

We were made in the _____ of God so we could experience the full _____ of God.

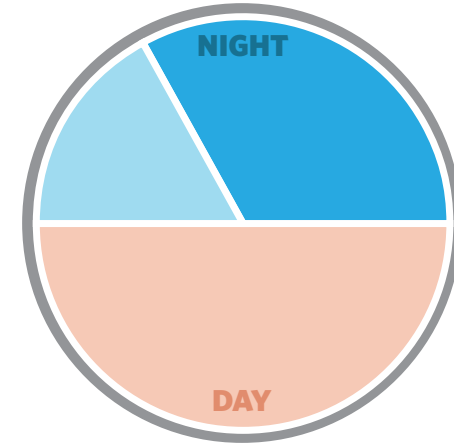
²⁸God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish in the sea and the birds in the sky and over every living creature that moves on the ground..." ³¹God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day.

¹Thus the heavens and the earth were completed in all their vast array. ²By the seventh day God had finished the work he had been doing; so on the seventh day he rested from all his work. ³Then God blessed the seventh day and made it holy, because on it he rested from all the work of creating that he had done.

Genesis 1:28,31, 2:1-3 (NIV)

- **We can't experience God's full life while _____ God's rhythms to life.**
- **God's rhythm begins each _____ with a day of _____.**

- **God's rhythm begins each day in the _____, making _____ first.**



¹It was just before the Passover Festival. Jesus knew that the hour had come for him to leave this world and go to the Father. Having loved his own who were in the world, he loved them to the end. ²The evening meal was in progress, and the devil had already prompted Judas, the son of Simon Iscariot, to betray Jesus. ³Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; ⁴so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.

John 13:1-5 (NIV)

Jesus models that the _____ is for adding value to the relationships who are the most _____ to us.

What is the 6pm to 10pm of my day _____ to?

God created rhythms of rest and relationships for me to _____ His life and to _____ His life. Will I fall into rhythm with Him?

Further reading for this week

Day 1: 1 John 1:6-7

Day 2: John 10:10-11

Day 3: Galatians 6:10

Day 4: Matthew 18:20

Day 5: Matthew 28:16-20

Day 6: 1 Peter 4: 8-9