



CHURCH DETOX

AN HONEST LOOK AT GOD AND FAITH

APR 30

WELCOME

WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE

Our mission is to inspire people to
follow Jesus and fearlessly
change the world.

YOUR NEXT STEP

visit the **WELCOME CENTER**
on the patio where you'll find
ways to get connected and
opportunities to serve

CONNECT ONLINE

marinerschurch.org



WEEKEND SERVICES

Sun 9 & 11a

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today's date / /

name

phone

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birthday / /

☐ I've **decided to follow Jesus** for the first time today!

☐ I'm **new to Mariners**

☐ I'd like to receive **The Compass** weekly e-news

☐ I'm interested in joining a **Life Group**

☐ I'm interested in **serving** ☐ **on campus** ☐ **through Outreach**

or you can fill out a Connect Card online at marinerschurch.org/connect

Our hope is you will find Mariners a place where you can ask questions, worship God freely and experience **community for life.**

For info on all our events, visit **marinerschurch.org**

ALL CHURCH

NIGHT OF WORSHIP AND PRAYER

THU, MAY 4 • 7-8:30P • CHAPEL

search: **night of worship**



FRI-SUN, JUN 2-4

search: **man camp**

WOMEN'S MINISTRY

search: **women**



Kids (infant-5th grade) learn about God's love through interactive music and storytelling in an age-appropriate, loving environment.

During Sat 5p, Sun 9 & 11a services



Junior High meets
Sat 5p | Sun 9 & 11a
Student Center Room 2



High School
meets **Sun 11a**
Student Center
Room 1

MAKING GENEROSITY SIMPLE



GIVE ONLINE

once or set up a recurring gift
marinerschurch.org/give



OFFERING BOXES

near the exits as you leave

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Please bring this card with you to our
Welcome Center or drop in an offering box.

HOLINESS MEETS HYPOCRISY

HYPOCRISY IN OUR WORLD, THE CHURCH, OUR LIVES

“Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You clean the outside of the cup and dish, but inside they are full of greed and self-indulgence.” Matthew 23:25

Hypocrite – Greek word for “play actor”

WHEN HOLINESS MEETS HYPOCRISY

A Holy-Spirit filled Life – Joseph (Barnabas)

*Joseph, a Levite from Cyprus, whom the apostles called Barnabas (which means “son of encouragement”), sold a field he owned and brought the money and **put it at the apostles’ feet**. Acts 4:36-37*

A Horrible Decision - Ananias & Sapphira

*Now a man named Ananias, together with his wife Sapphira, also sold a piece of property. With his wife’s full knowledge he kept back part of the money for himself, but brought the rest and **put it at the apostles’ feet**. Acts 5:1-2*

- **The Sin**
Greed (Colossians 3:5)
Lying (Numbers 32:23; Hebrews 4:13)
Hypocrisy (Revelation 3:1)

*Then Peter said, “Ananias, **how is it that Satan has so filled your heart that you have lied to the Holy Spirit and have kept for yourself some of the money you received for the land? Didn’t it belong to you before it was sold? And after it was sold, wasn’t the money at your disposal? What **made you think** of doing such a thing? You have not lied just to human beings but to God.” Acts 5:3-4***

- **The Source**
The Heart (Matt 15:17-19)
- **The Consequence**
Judgment

*When Ananias heard this, he fell down and died. And great fear seized all who heard what had happened. Then some young men came forward, wrapped up his body, and carried him out and buried him... Peter said to her, “How could you **conspire to test the Spirit of the Lord?** Listen! The feet of the men who buried your husband are at the door, and they will carry you out also.” At that moment she fell down at his feet and died. Then the young men came in and, finding her dead, carried her out and buried her beside her husband. 11 Great fear seized the whole church and all who heard about these events. Acts 5:5-6, 9-10*

HYPOCRISY IS _____ WITHOUT THE _____

MOVING FROM HYPOCRISY TO HOLY SPIRIT POWER

- _____ of the Lord

And great fear seized all who heard what had happened. Acts 5:5b

Do not be deceived: God cannot be mocked. A man reaps what he sows. Galatians 6:7

Therefore judge nothing before the appointed time; wait until the Lord comes. He will bring to light what is hidden in darkness and will expose the motives of the heart. At that time each will receive their praise from God. 1 Corinthians 4:5

- _____ forgiveness in Christ

If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness. 1 John 1:9 (NIV)

- _____ your love for God

*Therefore, rid yourselves of all malice and all deceit, hypocrisy, envy, and slander of every kind. Like newborn babies, **crave pure spiritual milk**, so that by it **you may grow up in your salvation**, now that you have tasted that the Lord is good... To this you were called, because Christ suffered for you, leaving you an example, that you should follow in his steps. “He committed no sin, and no deceit was found in his mouth.” 1 Peter 2:1-3, 21-22*

IMAGINE

Nevertheless, more and more men and women believed in the Lord and were added to their number. Acts 5:14