

**PRAYER OF CONFESSION**

All: Lord God, our sin causes us to separate you from parts of our lives. We have our church life. We have our work. We have our family. We have our recreation and our toys. We think that some is yours and some is ours. Forgive us. For everything we have; every breath we take is a gift from you. Help us to remember that You are Lord of all creation -- our lives, our souls, our bodies, our homes, and every possession. Forgive us for our sins and strengthen us to live our WHOLE life for you. Amen.

OLD TESTAMENT READING *Joshua 24:14-24*

EPISTLE READING *Ephesians 2:13-22*

GOSPEL READING *John 1:1-14*

*Sermon Outline*

*"As For Me and My House"*

*Acts 2:41-47*

Introduction :

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*Now fear the Lord and serve him with all faithfulness. Throw away the gods your forefathers worshiped beyond the River and in Egypt, and serve the Lord. But if serving the Lord seems undesirable to you, then choose for yourselves this day whom you will serve, whether the gods your forefathers served beyond the River, or the gods of the Amorites, in whose land you are living. But as for me and my household, we will serve the Lord."*

• *Joshua 24:14-15*

• *As for me...*

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• *And my house...*

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• *The model of Christ*

Answers to Sermon Outline:

Lead the way. Remember, choose, serve.

The WHOLE pie. Set apart for:

**BENEDICTION**

Leader: The Lord bless you and keep you; the Lord make His face to shine upon you and be gracious unto you. The Lord lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.

People: **And the people took the blessing and held it in their hearts.**

Leader: Go in peace, serve the Lord.

People: **Thanks be to God!**