# It's Complicated.

"It's Not You, It's Me, Selected Scriptures: April 13, 16-17, 2016 Harrison Huxford, Statesboro Campus Pastor

We were created in the very image and likeness of God.

- 1. There are things in us that were designed to directly <u>reflect</u> the character and uniqueness of God.
- 2. Humanity was then given responsibilities as God's <u>representatives</u> on earth.
- 3. We were created with the capacity to have a unique relationship with God.

Even though the reality of our <u>ONENESS</u> with God and others has been shattered, our <u>LONGING</u> for Oneness remains.

That which we base our <u>IDENTITY</u> on determines our value and worth. It is insanity to believe that an eternal longing can be satisfied by <u>temporal</u> means.

Jesus is the only one who can actually lead you to your truest self because your truest self is only found in HIM and restored <u>THROUGH</u> Him.

You need to focus on **BECOMING** the right person instead of looking for the right person.

#### How do we become the right person?

- 1. Train the <u>INNER</u> life for godliness.
- 2. Seek help in seeing <u>OUTSIDE</u> yourself.

Here are some passages to help you see outside yourself:

- Proverbs 4:23-27
- Psalm 51
- John 15:1-17
- 1 Corinthians 13:4-8
- Colossians 3:1-17

"What is it like to be on the other side of me?"

#### On being single:

- 1. Being single is a <u>gift</u>.
- 2. Don't buy into the limited view of <u>love</u> our culture communicates

### **Ministry Opportunities**

For more information about these and other events, go to SavannahChristian.com/Events.

#### "It's Complicated" Q&A

As part of our "It's Complicated" message series, we want to answer your questions about relationships. Write your question on a card at Connecting Point or text it to us at 912-228-5333. We will address as many questions as possible in the message on April 27, 30 and May 1.

#### **Collection for The Dream Campaign**

#### **Throughout April**

The Dream Campaign is a ministry in downtown Savannah that creates opportunities for at-risk youth and their families to discover their abilities and dream for their future. To support this ministry we are collecting multipacks of individually-wrapped snacks and drinks. Please leave donations in the collection bin in the Missions Circle in the lobby.

#### Men's Breakfast

#### 8 - 9:30 a.m. Saturdays through May 14

#### Adult Ministry Center across the street

Men, join us as we study the Bible and talk over breakfast. A \$5 donation is requested. No registration required. This is a great way of getting to know other men at our church.

#### **Construction Prayer**

#### After select services, April 20, 23 and 24

#### Meet at the doors on left side of the current Worship Center

We are building a new worship center to make space for more people to hear about Jesus. Meet immediately after the 6:45 p.m. Wednesday, 6:15 p.m. Saturday or 11 a.m. Sunday service next week to go into the construction site and pray for the lives that will be changed in this new space. This opportunity is open to everyone aged 10 and older.

#### Growing in the Son Open Enrollment for 2016-2017

Growing in the Son is a weekday school at Henderson Campus that provides a Christian learning environment for children 2 years old through kindergarten. We are accepting applications for the 2016-2017 school year. Enrollment forms are available in the Growing in the Son office or at SavannahChristian.com.

## 2016 Year-To-Date Giving and Attendance Through March

Average Weekly Attendance: 8309General Giving: \$3,804,373The ONE Campaign Pledged: \$11,467,814The ONE Campaign Pledged: \$11,467,814Online, Mobile and Kiosk Giving: 49% of Total Giving YTDYTD Transfers and Baptisms: 302