

SUNDAY MORNING (May 13th) • Counterfeit Gods

Busyness

To maintain houses filled with idols, so many live lives of unprecedented busyness. We have more indulgent time than any generation that has ever come before us. It takes us less time to cook, clean, travel and communicate. Ours is an age of absolute convenience. We can save more time accomplishing the basic tasks of life than any generation before us, and yet we constantly complain as if we had less time than any of them!

What must modern disciples remember from the parable of the rich fool in Luke 12:16-21?

On the flipside, how would you summarize the wisdom of Ecclesiastes 4:6?

Take the time to read the details recorded for us in Matthew 14:22-23, Mark 1:35, 6:30-32, Luke 4:42, 5:16 and 6:12. What should we take away from those details?

In your own words, what is being prescribed (and why) by the Spirit of God in:

➤ 1 Thessalonians 4:9-12 –

➤ 2 Thessalonians 3:12 –

➤ 1 Timothy 2:1-2 –

In everyday terms, how does busyness serve as a counterfeit god in the lives of so many?