

Sermon Notes – May 10, 2020

The Christian Family (*Colossians 3:18-21*)

- I. Called to be distinct from the prevailing culture. (*2 Corinthians 6:17*)
 - A. The Peace of Christ rules in hearts.
 - B. The Word of Christ dwells within.
 - C. The Name of Christ motivates every aspect of life.

- II. Called to be the example for the prevailing culture. (*1 John 2:15-17*)
 - A. Each family member is to be a reflection of Jesus Christ through their God-given roles. (*Ephesians 5:22-33*)
 - 1. Wives, submit to your own husbands.
 - a. Jesus Christ voluntarily submitted Himself to God the Father. (*John 10:18*)
 - 2. Husbands, love your wives as Christ loves the church.
 - a. Jesus Christ proved His love by sacrificially dying for the church.
 - 3. Children, obey your parents in all things.
 - a. Jesus Christ obeyed the Father in all things. (*John 4:34; 5:18-19, 30; 6:38*)
(*Hebrews 4:15*)
 - 4. Parents, do not exasperate your children.
 - a. Jesus Christ is full of grace and truth. (*John 1:14*)