

# MODERN LOVE

GOD-HONORING RELATIONSHIPS IN OUR 21<sup>ST</sup> CENTURY WORLD

February 5, 2023  
10:05 & 11:10

### Welcome to Wellspring!

Relationships are complicated, but do they have to be? Can a book as old as the Bible help relationships today? In our new series Modern Love, we're taking a look at Scripture's timeless and practical wisdom to help us find and preserve loving, God-honoring relationships in our twenty-first century world.

Love is the most amazing thing that we have and that we can experience in this world. However, what is love, how do we experience it, how do we show it, how do we share it? How can we be loved and love others in ways that are meaningful? These are the questions that we will try to answer during this series. We are thankful you are here and want you to know that you are loved!

If you are new, please feel free to ask questions, be yourself, get connected, and let us know if there is anything we can do to make your experience most memorable. Again, it is good to be with you in worship.

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INFORMATION

- **Information Center** in main foyer
- **Nursery** 1st floor south end of the building
- **Children** 2nd floor south end of building
- **Refreshments** in the Dyer hallways
- **Elevator** south end of the building
- **Youth** across the street at The Hub
- **Restrooms** in main foyer & Children's lobby
- **Shuttle bus** for remote parking

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Sermon: Unconditional  
Scripture: Romans 5:1-11

Sermon Notes

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**Better Together Marriage Workshop**

The Better Together marriage workshop will help rebuild or increase the friendship, intimacy, and respect in your partnership. It will give you new insights and research-based skills that can dramatically improve the depth of your relationship and the effectiveness of your communication. The workshop is led by Abe and Amy Smith who have been coaching couples for more than two decades.

Learn more and register online at [www.sharingtheheart.org/BetterTogether](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/BetterTogether)



**Serving Opportunity**

Greeters & Ushers

Looking for opportunities to serve this year? Being a greeter and usher is a perfect way to serve! We want to ensure each person is welcomed to Wellspring with a smile and a friendly “hello.” Plus, we want to make sure we have the opportunity to receive each person’s prayer request and offering. We need your help to make this happen. Please check the box on the back of this bulletin or email Abe for details [asmith@sharingtheheart.org](mailto:asmith@sharingtheheart.org)



Stay up to date with Wellspring events, news, resources, and more. Scan the QR code to the left with your smart phone and click on the link that appears on your phone screen. Provide your name and email and you’re all set. You may also visit us online at [www.sharingtheheart.org/wellspring](http://www.sharingtheheart.org/wellspring) to sign up.

“Like” our Facebook page and be sure to check-in online! For every new like and check-in we receive we will supply three meals to hungry kids! That’s right, your simple check-in helps spread the word about Wellspring AND feeds kids. This is a simple click of the button that can have a big impact. You can scan the QR code to the right with your smart phone camera to be taken to our Facebook page.



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Welcome! Thank you for joining us today!

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Online resources:

- Attendance
- Giving
- Bulletins
- Prayer Request
- Newsletter sign up
- How to Join



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What's Happening

KIDS & YOUTH EVENTS

2/5: First Kids (1st—5th graders): Lego night from 5-7pm
2/26: Bible Blasters (3rd Grade) and M&M Kids (4th & 5th) from 5-7pm

Youth Midwinter Retreat: February 10-12, 2023. Email cjrice@sharingtheheart.org for info.

JOIN THE CHOIR

Rehearsals have resumed on Wednesday nights at 7pm in the Sanctuary. New members are most welcome. Email John Bush, director, at jebconductor@gmail.com for info.

SCOUT SUNDAY

All Scouts (Boys, Girls, and Cubs) are invited and encouraged to wear their scouting uniforms on Sunday 2/12 as we recognize the scouting ministry. You can serve as a greeter or in the flag ceremony.

HOPE SCHOOL

Are you interested in our preschool? We're ready to register for Fall 2023! Visit the preschool page on the website or email Jane Mills at jmills@sharingtheheart.org for more information.

MISSION PANAMA

There will be a Panama Mission Trip Informational Meeting on February 27 at 7pm in the Parlor and via Zoom. Stop by the hallway table to learn more.

WOMEN'S WEEKEND

Come join us for Women's Weekend 2023! This is a wonderful chance to connect and enjoy fun, faith, and fellowship. February 24-26 at the Prothro Center at Lake Texoma. Email Pastor Macie at mliptoi@sharingtheheart.org or visit the Women's Ministry page for more information.

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GENEROSITY

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Attendance card form with fields for service time, name, email, phone, address, and age group.

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date \_\_\_\_\_

Prayers requested for (name) \_\_\_\_\_

This person is:  self  friend  relative  other \_\_\_\_\_

Prayer need (include info as needed) \_\_\_\_\_

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Pastors only |  Add to published prayer list | Would you like a pastor to contact you?  Yes  No

I would like information about:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Nursery

Children's Ministry

Youth Ministry

Adult groups

Music Ministry

Becoming a member

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ (over)

Faith, being a Christian

Generosity / Stewardship

Bible Study

Melissa UMC Campus

Help with personal issues

Usher/Greeter

PRAYER REQUESTS

Please remember these names in your prayers

- Abigail Wolf
- Amber Caperton
- Ashley Mulligan
- Avery Russell
- Bill McManus
- Bob Lindley
- Brenda Freund
- Brittany Few
- Cathy Zaccarello
- Chuck Bray
- Cindy Halderman
- David Piper III
- Debbie Stone
- Debbie Thom
- Don Childs
- Doug Boos and family
- Ed Heuer
- Emily McArdle
- Gay Minshew
- Gary and Peggy Rima
- Carol and Gera Crampton
- Gretchen Vaughn
- Heather Knowlton
- Jared Williamson
- Jason Russell
- Jerry Gayler
- John and Linda Gregoire
- Joyce Encizo
- Judy Cox
- Julie Gladney
- Julie Teague and family
- Justin Piper
- Kaley and Jairo Martinez family
- Karen Linstrum
- Katherine Smith
- Keen Moody
- Kelly Martinez
- Kelly Strander
- Kendra, Daraugh and Ellie Jo O'Haire
- Kim Harbeck
- Kitty Ball
- Leah Bouldin
- Lili Santee
- Lisa Rima
- Maelyn Hager and family
- Magdalena Lovejoy
- Maggie Bridge
- Marilee Crawford and family
- Marti Kale
- Michael and Amber
- Mina Zaheri
- Naomi Deifell
- Neal Settle
- Norman Andersen
- Paul (Woody) Woods
- Paula Graham
- Perry Waller
- Phil Daggett
- Ruth Russell
- Sandie Ross
- Seth McAdams
- Shauntina Batiste
- Susan Cunningham
- Sydney Lavine
- Ted Ward
- The Ringley family
- Tom Chandler
- Tyler Piper
- People affected by Hurricanes
- Students, Teachers, school staff
- Ukraine and Russia
- Rev. David & Cindy Ceballos, Missionaries in Panama
- Friends in care facilities
- Everyone affected by the Coronavirus and Variants
- Families experiencing job loss
- Church families in transition
- Those experiencing homelessness
- Grace Children's Hospital in Haiti
- Melissa United Methodist Church
- Caldwell Elementary School
- Military service members including: Capt Scott Adler, Capt Libby Adler, Sofia Lerma Alarcon, Jose Almaguer, Marc Belo, CPL Matthew Broker, CT12 Abigail Burns, CPT Aaron Bush, CPL Bradley Bush, AFC Drew Causey, Chaplain Capt Adam Cavalier, 2nd Lt Vincent Chavez, Capt Ryan Clark, PFC Paul Confalone, Sgt Martin Damian DeLeon, GY Sgt Jim Ellsworth, Kevin English, Patrick English, James Evans, Lt Col David Faulk, MSG Brian Franck, PFC Cody Furstenberg, Charlie Gilbert, LC CPL Robert Gray, ETN2 Cory Halberstadt , Pvt John Wesley Holder Jr., LT Mark Jbeily, Lt Col Jim Johnston, Ryan Kidd, Avery Montana Krast, Lt Ryan Lubin, Alec Mack, Capt John Martin, Lt Logan McQuerry, Maj. Richard Milam, Maj Chuck Miller, AFC Kevin G. Persons, Jr., MSGT Tyler Renshaw, 2nd Lt Austin Rine, SPC Blake Robertson, Bobby Sanders, SR4 Nick Schofield, Colby Seamster II, Chap MAJ Tim Shepherd, Jonathan Spiegall, CW2 Ryan Thurgood, Mark Townsend, Specialist Zach Vernier, Lt. Jr. Grade Anderson Sumner Camp, SR Caelan Matthews, Specialist AnnMarie Kessler, Preston Walker

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Thank you.

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