

"If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness." **1 John 1:9**

See also **Romans 8:1-17**

For the account of Nathan confronting David see **2 Samuel 12:1-14**

WHAT ARE YOU COVERING UP? _____.

TWO TYPES OF CONFESSION

1. CONFESS TO GOD FOR FORGIVENESS.

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your unfailing love; according to your great compassion blot out my transgressions.

2 Wash away all my iniquity and cleanse me from my sin...10 Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. 11 Do not cast me from your presence or take your Holy Spirit from me.

12 Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me.
Psalm 51:1-2, 10-12

2. CONFESS TO PEOPLE FOR HEALING.

Therefore confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed... James 5:16

For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God. Colossians 3:3



**Intentional
Leader**

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**Relational
Environment**

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**Reproducible
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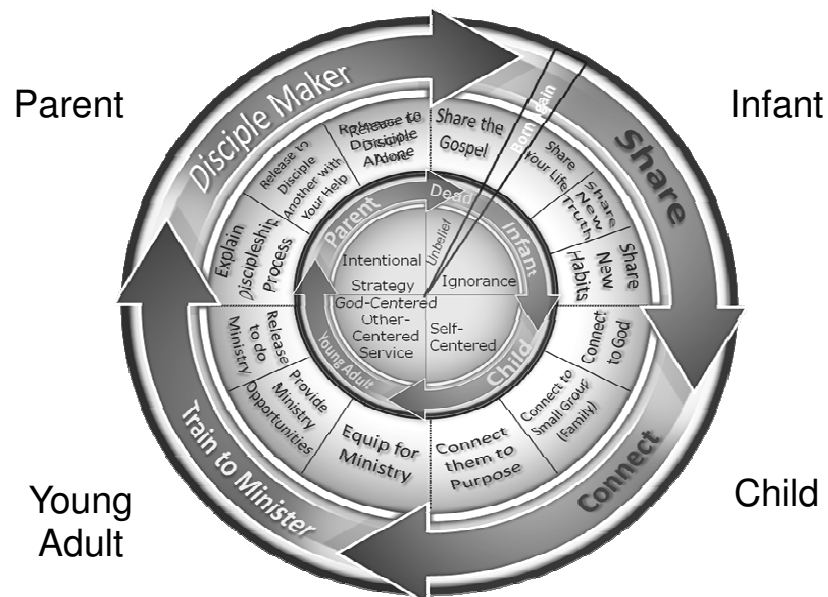
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Disciples

Discipleship Essentials

July 22, 2012



New Testament Discipleship is:

- Intentional
- Relational
- Transformational
- Generational

Discipleship Essentials Lesson #8 (Last Sunday)

If you missed last week's message, visit camarillocommunitychurch.com and click the "Media" link. Then choose "Listen to Sermons."

"Made In God's Image"

A) God is the Creator.

God said let there be.
God divided.
God made.
God called.
God set them.
God created.
God blessed them.
God saw it was very good.

B) God prepares Earth for Man.

1. Light
2. Firmament (Expanse or air space)
3. Dry land, Seas, Grass, Seeds, fruit trees
4. Sun, Moon, and Stars
5. Birds, fish, and other sea creatures
6. Animals and man

C) God makes Man.

D) God blessed Man.

F.) God loves You.

Discipleship Essentials Lesson #9 (Today's Message)

"Hiding Your Sin"

Kenny Kibble
July 22, 2012

AFTER YOU SIN, YOU HAVE TWO CHOICES

- CONCEAL YOUR SINS.

For the account of Adam and Eve see **Genesis 3**
For the account of Cain and Abel see **Genesis 4:1-15**
For the account of Joseph see **Genesis 37**

- CONFESS YOUR SINS.

*He who conceals his sins does not prosper, but whoever confesses and renounces them finds mercy. **Proverbs 28:13***

*In the spring, at the time when kings go off to war, David sent Joab out with the king's men and the whole Israelite army...But David remained in Jerusalem. 2 One evening David got up from his bed and walked around on the roof of the palace. From the roof he saw a woman bathing. The woman was very beautiful, 3 and David sent someone to find out about her. The man said, "Isn't this Bathsheba, the daughter of Eliam and the wife of Uriah the Hittite?" 4 Then David sent messengers to get her. She came to him, and he slept with her...Then she went back home. 5 The woman conceived and sent word to David, saying, "I am pregnant." 2 **Samuel 11:1-5***

"So I find this law at work: When I want to do good, evil is right there with me. For in my inner being I delight in God's law; but I see another law at work in the members of my body, waging war against the law of my mind and making me a prisoner of the law of sin at work within my members. What a wretched man I am! Who will rescue me from this body of death? Thanks be to God—through Jesus Christ our Lord! So then, I myself in my mind am a slave to God's law, but in the sinful nature a slave to the law of sin."

Romans 7:21-25

*For there is nothing hidden that will not be disclosed, and nothing concealed that will not be known or brought out into the open. **Luke 8:17***

*... you may be sure that your sin will find you out. **Numbers 32:23***