



Sermon Questions

June 28, 2026 | Scripture: Genesis 29:1-30 – Jacob’s Marriages

Sermon in a sentence: God’s presence is never absent from his plan.

How might you summarize the sermon?

WORSHIP THROUGHOUT THE WEEK

Here are some other ways you can meet with God throughout the week:

Core Questions

Reflect on these passages that trace the theme of God’s gracious love throughout Scripture:

1. How much have you thought about how your “life plan” aligns with God’s plan for your life? What are some ways that you reflect on that?
2. How does Laban represent a “type” of Jacob? Can you think of other instances in Scripture when God uses unsuspecting sinners to bring justice?
3. How might the story have been different if Jacob responded to being deceived with repentance rather than persisting towards his own plan?
4. How does Rebekah figure into this story? What lessons can we learn from her impact?
5. What do we learn about families from this passage?

- Genesis 24:10-27
- Song of Solomon 8:6-7
- Isaiah 62:4-5
- John 4:5-14
- Galatians 4:21-31
- Revelation 21:9

Inward Grace in Action

Mission: Pray for the peace, unity, and mission of the PCA after General Assembly last week.

1. Where do you find yourself right now? Is your life going “according to your plan”? What plan can you see unfolding in your life?
2. What kind of impact has your family had on you? Do you tend to protect your family’s good name or blame your family and expose every imperfection? How does redemption and the hope of redemption speak to both of those tendencies?
3. Where do you seek most clearly what God is doing in your life? Where are you confused about what God is doing?
4. What aspects of God’s nature and character can help you trust him with where your life currently is?

Outward Grace in Action

Look Ahead: Next week we will continue our series in the gospel in the life of Jacob with Pastor Ryan preaching on Jacob’s Children from Genesis 29:31-30:24.

1. What is an area of your life that would greatly benefit from resting in God’s plan? How would it change your disposition if you were able to actively trust him?

For Families: Ideas of how to keep the conversation going at home, in the car, or around the dinner table:

1. **A - Ask about the message:** What do you think God’s plan for your life is?
2. **S – Share your thoughts:** Share with your child a time where God either used or interrupted your plan and how you’ve grown more confident in his plan.
3. **K – Keep it going:** Talk to your children about the decrees of God (q. 7 WSC: Q: What are the decrees of God? A: The decrees of God are, his eternal purpose, according to the counsel of his will, whereby, for his own glory, he hath foreordained whatsoever comes to pass)