

## PERSONAL PEACEMAKING SEMINAR – HOW TO TURN PERSONAL CONFLICT INTO BLESSING

Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup> in the Fellowship Center  
10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

All of us know what it is like to experience conflict in the important personal relationships of our lives. God has a plan for how we can deal with such conflict and, in turn, experience the blessings Jesus Christ promised when he said: *“Blessed are the peacemakers...”* (Matthew 5:9)

In this 4 hour Sunday Seminar you will learn about the fundamental problem that causes most conflicts, and how to deal with this problem. You will also discover practical peacemaking principles that will make a real difference in your daily life and relationships. Many people in our church are being blessed by incorporating these peacemaking principles into their lives. You won't want to miss out on this tremendous opportunity to see conflict in your life turned into great blessing.

This Seminar will be led by Jim and Marianne Busche and Gary and Bev Forrest—the Busche's and Forrest's are outstanding and experienced Seminar leaders who have been certified by Peacemakers Ministry.

The Personal Peacemaking Seminar will be held on *Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>*, following our first worship service of the morning. There is no charge for this Seminar. Lunch will be served as part of this Seminar, and Child Care will be available.

You may register by signing up at the Peacemakers Table in the courtyard or by calling/emailing Karen at the church office (327-5611 – ext. 101 / [Karen@oursaviors.org](mailto:Karen@oursaviors.org)) When you register, please indicate if you need childcare.

## JOYFUL GENEROSITY VALUABLE PRINCIPLES OF MONEY MANAGEMENT

Some Timeless Principles from the Book of Proverbs  
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### INTRODUCTION

2 Corinthians 9:7

Each of you should give what you have decided **in your heart** to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, **for God loves a cheerful giver.**

1 Corinthians 10:26

The earth is **the Lord's**, and **everything** in it.

1 Corinthians 4:2

Moreover it is required of a **steward** that one be found faithful.

### I. THOSE WHO MAKE MONEY THEIR PASSION \_\_\_\_\_ MORE THAN THEY \_\_\_\_\_

Proverbs 23:4-5

Do not wear yourself out to get rich; have the wisdom to show restraint.

5 Cast but a glance at riches, and they are gone, for they will surely sprout wings and fly off to the sky like an eagle.

II. MONEY CANNOT \_\_\_\_\_ LIFE'S MOST  
\_\_\_\_\_ POSSESSIONS

Proverbs 15:15b-17

...the **cheerful heart** has a continual feast. 16 Better a little with the fear of the Lord than great wealth with turmoil. 17 Better a meal of vegetables where there is love than a fattened calf with hatred.

III. WHOEVER \_\_\_\_\_ IN MONEY WILL  
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Proverbs 11:28

Whoever **trusts in his riches will fall**, but the righteous will thrive like a green leaf.

Proverbs 18:11 (NASV)

A rich man's wealth is his strong city, and like a high wall **in his own imagination.**

IV. IF HANDLED WISELY, MONEY CAN BRING GREAT  
\_\_\_\_\_; IF HANDLED FOOLISHLY  
MONEY CAN BRING GREAT \_\_\_\_\_

Proverbs 27:23-24

**Be sure you know** the condition of your flocks, **give careful attention** to your herds; 24 for riches do not endure forever, and a crown is not secure for all generations.

A. Be Wise in Your \_\_\_\_\_

Proverbs 21:20

In the house of the wise are stores of choice food and oil, but **a foolish man devours all he has.**

B. Be Wise in Your \_\_\_\_\_

Proverbs 11:24-25

One man **gives freely, yet gains even more**; another withholds unduly, but comes to poverty. 25 A **generous man will prosper; he who refreshes others will himself be refreshed.**

V. THOSE WHO \_\_\_\_\_ GOD WITH THEIR  
MONEY ARE \_\_\_\_\_ IN RETURN

Proverbs 3:9-10

**Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits** of all your crops; 10 then **your barns will be filled to overflowing**, and your vats will brim over with new wine.

The Kind of Giving the Bible Teaches:

*Joyful  
FIRSTFRUIT, PROPORTIONAL, SACRIFICIAL  
Giving*

Malachi 3:10

**“Bring the whole tithe** into the storehouse, that there may be food in my house. Test me in this,” says the Lord Almighty, “and see if I will not throw open the floodgates of heaven and pour out so much blessing that you will not have room enough for it.”

CONCLUSION