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High School Reclaimed Families,

During October 2026, the high school ministry will begin a sermon series titled “The Elephant in the Room.” This series is designed to come alongside parents as we equip students to navigate real-life challenges that are not always discussed openly. Our goal is to help students understand what Scripture teaches about these topics, find freedom if they are personally struggling, learn how to stand firm on God’s Word while loving others who may be struggling, and discover how to pray for these situations. We believe many students are already experiencing these challenges—or will encounter someone who is—and we want to ensure parents are aware of the conversations taking place. If your student is not ready for these discussions, we completely understand, and we also respect any family who would prefer to address these topics at home. We are asking that every student come with a signed permission slip to make sure that you are aware of this series and okay with them being in the room.

Through HIM+
Wryan East
High School Pastor
FBCMelbourne

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STUDENT NAME:

Sermon Series "The Elephant in the Room" - Topical

OCTOBER 7- WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT OUR IDENTITY

Scripture References: Genesis 1:27, Psalm 139:13,15, Ephesians 4:17-19, Deuteronomy 22:5, Ephesians 4:18, Romans 1:28, Romans 12:2, John 20:15, Luke 16:19-31, Revelation 4-5

Parent Signature:

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OCTOBER 14- WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT HOMOSEXUALITY/SAME SEX ATTRACTION

Scripture References: Leviticus 18:22, *1 Corinthians 6:9-10,* Romans 1:26-27, Some repeated references found in previous sermon

Parent Signature:

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OCTOBER 21- WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT GLUTTONY: Jared Rhodes guest Speaker

Scripture References: . 1 Corinthians 6:19-20, 1 Corinthians 9:27, 1 Samuel 16:7, Matthew 11:17, Luke 7:34, 1 Corinthians 10:31, Proverbs 23:20-21, Matthew 5:29-30, Proverbs 23:2, 1 Corinthians 6:12-14

Parent Signature:

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OCTOBER 28- WHAT DOES THE BIBLE SAY ABOUT DATING AND SEX

Scripture References: 1 Thessalonians 5:11, Hebrews 13:4, 1 Thessalonians 5:22, Romans 13:14, 2 Corinthians 6:14, Psalm 139:13-16,

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Helpful Parent Resources for Topics:

LGBTQ

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/files/uploads/HowtotalkLGBTQ-1.pdf

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/articles/what-god-says-about-homosexuality

https://axis.org/resource/a-parent-guide-to-lgbtq-your-teen/

https://youthministry360.com/collections/parent-resources/products/m2p-parenting-card-10-pack-bundle

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/articles/details/should-christians-use-peoples-preferred-pronouns

GLUTTONY/FITNESS/HEALTH

https://axis.org/resource/a-parent-guide-to-fitness/

https://www.baptistpress.com/resource-library/news/first-person-gluttony-the-elephant-in-the-room/

https://axis.org/resource/a-parent-guide-to-eating-disorders/

https://axis.org/resource/a-parent-guide-to-body-image/

DATING AND SEX

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/cultural-christianity/is-dating-biblical

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/cultural-christianity/who-should-i-consider-dating

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/cultural-christianity/how-should-i-go-about-dating

https://axis.org/resource/a-parent-guide-to-teen-dating/

https://axis.org/resource/dating/

https://www.knowingjesusministries.co/articles/details/the-small-circle-of-permissibility

GENERAL RESOURCES:

https://www.fbcmel.info/at-home/