**Series: Wellspring** April 28, 2019

**Message: Guarding What Matters Most**

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Above all else, guard your heart.

Proverbs 4:23

Why:

1. God looks at your heart.

1 Samuel 16:7

1. Your words and actions come from your heart.

Luke 6:45

1. Your heart is vulnerable.

Mark 7:20-23 | Hebrews 3:12-13 | Jerimiah 17:7-10

* Deceitful
* Corruptible
* Stubborn (hard)
* Source of all kinds of bad stuff.

Good news, God can fix your heart.

Psalm 51:10 | 1 John 3:19-20 | Ezekiel 11:19

Where is my heart vulnerable?

**My Prayer for 2019**

My Lord and Savior Jesus, thank you for your gift of grace to me. My soul hungers for you. I want to know you – not just intellectually, but relationally. I give you permission to tear down every false thought, every lie, and every stronghold the Enemy has established within me.

I will pursue my relationship with you with my whole heart. I will hold nothing back from you. I am open and willing to receive the good things you have planned for me.

I ask:

Work your good in me so that I might reflect you more.

Work your good for me so that I might receive all that you intend for me.

Work your good through me so that all around me, people will experience your love and goodness and be drawn to you.

I am open and ready for all you will do in, for, and through me.

I love you, Jesus.

Amen

**Together in prayer. 30 days of prayer.**  
*As a church, let us come together in prayer:*

* Pray for kitchen remodel to go smoothly.
* Pray for good weather to seal and stripe the parking lot.
* Pray for the continued work to complete remaining projects on the building.
* **Pray for the one. May God draw each person into a living relationship with Himself**.
* Pray for a heart that is responsive to need around you.
* Pray for the ongoing funding of the building project and for   
  the safety of all workers involved.
* Pray for our city! For God to reveal Himself in transforming ways.
* Pray for boldness to reach our community with the love of Jesus.