Series: Wellspring Message: Guarding What Matters Most

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Above all else, <u>guard</u> your <u>heart.</u> Proverbs 4:23

Why:

- 1. God looks at your heart. 1 Samuel 16:7
- 2. Your <u>words</u> and <u>actions</u> come from your heart. Luke 6:45
- 3. Your heart is <u>vulnerable.</u> 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 <u>fix your heart</u>. 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.

l 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.