

## Exodus 20:1-15

<sup>1</sup>Then God spoke all these words, saying,

<sup>2</sup>"I am the LORD your God, who brought you out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of slavery.

<sup>3</sup>"You shall have no other gods before Me.

<sup>4</sup>"You shall not make for yourself an idol, or any likeness of what is in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the water under the earth. <sup>5</sup>You shall not worship them or serve them; for I, the LORD your God, am a jealous God, visiting the iniquity of the fathers on the children, on the third and the fourth generations of those who hate Me, <sup>6</sup>but showing lovingkindness to thousands, to those who love Me and keep My commandments.

<sup>7</sup>"You shall not take the name of the LORD your God in vain, for the LORD will not leave him unpunished who takes His name in vain.

<sup>8</sup>"Remember the sabbath day, to keep it holy. <sup>9</sup>Six days you shall labor and do all your work, <sup>10</sup>but the seventh day is a sabbath of the LORD your God; *in it* you shall not do any work, you or your son or your daughter, your male or your female servant or your cattle or your sojourner who stays with you. <sup>11</sup>For in six days the LORD made the heavens and the earth, the sea and all that is in them, and rested on the seventh day; therefore the LORD blessed the sabbath day and made it holy.

<sup>12</sup>"Honor your father and your mother, that your days may be prolonged in the land which the LORD your God gives you.

<sup>13</sup>"You shall not murder.

<sup>14</sup>"You shall not commit adultery.

<sup>15</sup>"You shall not steal.

**SERMON NOTES**  
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**Living Generously**  
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Eternal Economics

Do not store up for yourselves treasures on earth, where moth and rust destroy, and where thieves break in and steal. But store up for yourselves treasures in heaven, where neither moth nor rust destroys, and where thieves do not break in or steal; for where your treasure is, there your heart will be also. (Matthew 6:19-21)

Greed

He who loves money will not be satisfied with money, nor he who loves abundance with its income. This too is vanity. The sleep of the working man is pleasant, whether he eats little or much; but the full stomach of the rich man does not allow him to sleep. There is a grievous evil which I have seen under the sun: riches being hoarded by their owner to his hurt. (Ecclesiastes. 5:10, 12-13)

Steward

The earth is the Lord's, and all it contains,  
The world, and those who dwell in it. (Psalm 24:1)

Generosity

Instruct those who are rich in this present world not to be conceited or to fix their hope on the uncertainty of riches, but on God, who richly supplies us with all things to enjoy. Instruct them to do good, to be rich in good works, to be generous and ready to share, storing up for themselves the treasure of a good foundation for the future, so that they may take hold of that which is life indeed. (1 Timothy 6:17-19)

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- \* Journal: Read the 4 passages above prayerfully writing down how the Lord speaks to your heart.
  - \* Art: Draw generosity
  - \* Obey: God is calling me to \_\_\_\_\_ .