### SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS AUGUST 22, 2021

# INSTRUCTION ABOUT THE SEDUCTION & DESTRUCTION OF SIN PROVERBS 1:8-19

# MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

To walk in wisdom's way, hear & heed the instruction of Godfearers in your life and do not give in to the deadly enticement of sinners.

- **I.** Hear the Instruction of God-Fearers (v.8-9)
- **II.** Do Not Hear the Enticement of Sinners (v.10-14)
- **III.** Heed the Warning About Walking in the Evil Way (v.15-19)

#### **QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION**

- 1. Why has Solomon placed this warning right at the beginning of Proverbs? How is it connected to v.7?
- 2. In what ways are you the "father" in this picture? In what ways are you the "son"?
- **3.** Which particular sins has God rescued you from? In what areas has this passage been a good reminder for you now?
- 4. What does the temptation of Christ and his overcoming the temptation say about his power to overcome Satan, the world, and the flesh? What does it say about our need for him?

#### FURTHER READING: Psalm 1:1-2; Matt 7:13-14; Eph 6:1-3