



MARY

March 14, 2021
AM Worship Service
Pastor Brent D Armstrong

Text Passage: Mark 14:1-9

PART ONE: _____

Passover | *red letter day*

Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter all rolled into one holiday

Craft | *to decoy or bait, trick, deceit, guile, subtlety*

Mary | *the sister of Martha and Lazarus*

Spikenard | *the leaves of a rare Himalayan plant
very precious ointment
\$150 per half ounce*

Mary held _____ back for herself. She willingly gave it all up for the Lord.

It was an expensive, extravagant and lavish lesson of _____. Mary adored Jesus.

PART TWO: _____

Since when is anything given to Jesus ever _____?

⌚ **John 12:4-6**

One Pence | *the average day's wage for a working man*

300 Pence | *the annual salary of the typical household*

Murmured | *Greek; to snort like a horse with anger*

PART THREE: _____

How often we think we know the mind of Christ and how surprised we would be to know that He sees things far _____ than we.

Mary had her priorities in the _____ order.

CONCLUSION

1. **Our admiration should be** _____.

There will always be _____ who will never understand admiration.

We are not here to impress the world, but **are we giving Christ our** _____?

④ **Philippians 4:12**

Our admiration does not come _____; it requires breaking a flask. Serve Jesus with extravagance.

2. Our admiration should be _____.

Extravagant admiration was Mary's action, but it was her love that demonstrated her _____.

④ **I Corinthians 13:1-3**

We should have an extreme love for everything _____. Love alone makes our gifts pleasing to God.

3. Our admiration should be _____.

Mary followed the leadership of the _____ to do something few would have done.

She was guided by the breath of the Spirit that in sure confidence she should do this in duty to Christ.

- John Calvin

There are times when we need to throw "_____ " out the window and yield to the automatic impulse of the leadership of the Spirit.

**Today God is calling for us to break some vases.
He wants the sweet smell of admiration to permeate the air.**

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Guest of Honor Dr. Misty Martinez

We extend a warm welcome to Dr. Misty Martinez. Dr. Martinez is the choral director at Cocoa Junior\High School and was named the 2020 Music Educator of the Year from the National Association for Music Education and Barbershop Harmony Society. Dr. Martinez conducted a dynamic choir clinic for the Tucson Baptist Choir this past week. You will also enjoy hearing her sing this morning during our worship service.

Easter Outreach | Saturday, March 20

Easter is right around the corner! As a church family, we want to invite our community to two Project520 Easter events: a family event on Saturday, March 27 and our Easter Program on Sunday, April 4. Join us for breakfast at 9:00 AM on March 20 in the FLC. After breakfast, we will pass out door hangers in our community. Our goal is to reach 10,000 doors!

Baby Shower Tables

Sunday, March 21 | *Scarlett Crews*

Proud Parents: Caleb and Karisa Crews

Due March 29, 2021 | Registered at Amazon

Sunday, March 28 | *Shelli Kankisingi*

Proud Parents: Bernard and Esther Kankisingi

Due May 5, 2021 | Walmart Gift Cards and baby necessities

The Collingsworth Family Concert | Friday, April 30

We are thrilled to announce that the Collingsworth Family will be live in concert at Tucson Baptist Church on Friday, April 30. Doors will open at 6:00 PM with the concert starting at 7:00 PM. This is a ticketed event. Go to [itickets.com](https://www.itickets.com), call 1-800-965-9324, or scan below to purchase your ticket!

