

JOHN

May 3, 2026 | John 2:13-25

1. What makes God angry? In this passage, Jesus clears the temple because people were creating barriers to worship.

Where do you see barriers today that might make it harder for people to access God?
Have you ever personally experienced a “barrier” in your journey toward God?

2. Reflect on righteous anger vs. impulsive anger. Jesus’ anger was intentional, not reactive.

What’s the difference between anger that honors God and anger that doesn’t?

Can you think of a time when anger led to something good—or something harmful?

3. Have you ever been part of a “barrier”?

Without guilt or shame, reflect honestly: have there been moments where your words, actions, or assumptions may have made it harder for someone to approach God?

What would it look like to remove those barriers moving forward?

4. Why do we sometimes question Jesus? The people in this passage questioned His authority.

Where do you find it hardest to trust that Jesus is fully in charge?

Do you ever find yourself wanting control over areas where God may be asking for surrender?

5. Jesus knows our hearts. How does that challenge or comfort you?

What does it mean to you that Jesus sees beyond outward actions into motives?

How might that truth change the way you relate to Him this week?

6. Are you a fan or a follower? The message reminded us that Jesus didn’t come just to solve problems, but to be Savior, Lord, and King.

What’s the difference between admiring Jesus and truly following Him?

What is one practical step you can take this week to follow Him more fully?