



BASCOMB NEWS

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Do you want to learn more about the Bible and the roots of our Christian faith in a friendly, discussion-based group? If so, please

see Lauren Melde or Linda Donnelly to let us know you are interested as well as your availability (forms available in the narthex). We will do our best to select a day when the most people can attend this once a month book discussion group. The first book will be *Mysteries of the Messiah* by Rabbi Jason Sobel. It can be purchased online from christianbook.com, amazon.com (including an audible version), or we can provide one if requested.

SUPER Seniors

Join us Wednesday, **February 15**, at 11:00 a.m., in the Fellowship Hall. Bring your own lunch.



Law of Love Matthew 5:21-37

February 12 — Sixth Sunday after the Epiphany
"What Have You Heard?"
Matthew 5:21-37

This Sunday, we go back to our sermons from Jesus' Sermon on the Mount. We will still be in Matthew the fifth chapter, and we look at where Jesus talked how Torah says that murder was forbidden and was subject to judgment. Then we're told that Jesus also says that the anger of anyone was subject to judgment too.

Something sounds off there. Was Jesus saying that murder and anger were the same thing with both being subject to judgment? Was Jesus using "double talk" in order to show he was going to interpret and change the Jewish laws and Torah itself? Or maybe, just maybe, Jesus was trying to tell those listening how to be careful with one's anger.

So, how does anger shape your relationship with others and with the way society treats others? Please think about this in preparation for this Sunday's sermon. Hope to see you there this Sunday at 9AM and 11AM. Have a great weekend!

