

# DEVOTED: 3 Great Loves

## Mark 12:28-34

*Focus: on making our devotion to these 3 great loves our priority in the coming year*

### **Discussion:**

- Read Mark 12:28-34 and discuss why you think Jesus answered the question by addressing both love for God and neighbor? How are they related?
- Read Acts 13:21-22 and discuss what you think it means that David was a "man after God's own heart". Give consideration to the following Psalms of David: Ps. 27:4; 63:1-4; 145:1-3
- What challenges face you as you consider becoming more devoted to loving God this year?
- Read 1 John 3 & 4 aloud and share insights about the importance of loving one another within the church. Why does this matter so? What are the dangers and consequences of trying to live as an "unchurched Christian"?
- What challenges face you as you consider becoming more devoted to loving the church this year?
- Read Rom. 9:1-3 and 10:1. What impacts you most about Paul's love for his people (the Jews) who don't believe in Jesus? What would have to happen for you to follow his example more faithfully?
- Close with prayer for one another in the circle of your greatest need.

