

Title: “Dealing with your tables”

Text: Mark 11:15-17

Introduction:

- God had a **purpose** for the temple but the leaders were **blocking** that purpose.

- In the New Testament we are the temple. Are there things in our lives that might be **blocking** God’s **purpose** in this new temple? (1Cor. 3:16; 1Cor. 6:19)

4 types of tables in our temple...

- i. The table I want to **keep** and Jesus wants to **flip**
- ii. The table I want to **flip** and Jesus wants to **keep** (2Cor. 12:9)
- iii. The table Jesus and I both want to **flip**
- iv. The table Jesus and I both want to **keep**

How do we deal with the tension of Jesus flipping the tables in our life? (Mark 11:18)

1. Come into **agreement** with God (Amos 3:3; Gal 2:20)
2. **Join** God in His work in you