**Pornography Today**

The average first exposure to pornography is age 11.

Largest consumer of Internet porn is the 12-17 year old age group.

35% of adolescents stumble upon pornography accidently.

**The responsibility to protect children from pornography falls upon YOU - the parent.**

**How To Filter Internet Content:**

1. Internet that comes into you house

Automatically filter the Internet as it enters your household

*www.openDNS.com*

1. Router

Use Internet Routers Parental Control Setting to block unwanted content from being visited through the network

1. Software

*Filtering Software:* Prevents users from accessing selected categories - *K9, MOBI Cip*

*Accountability Software:* Provides reports of website visited - *X3Watch*

*Accountability and Filtering Software:* Provides both - *Covenant Eyes*

**How to Block Content on an iPhone:**

1. Remove Safari (Internet) from the phone, and block the user from downloading additional browsers.
2. Install Mobi CIP App to access Internet through a filtered browser.

* Settings - General
* Enable Restrictions
  + Turn Off Safari
  + Rating 12+ for Apps
* Download Mobi CIP Browser
  + \*K9 is another viable App

**Talking With Your Kids:**

*If you don’t talk to your kids about sex, schools and the media will!*

**Share your beliefs** and explain why you hold them. (i.e. don’t tell them to believe!)

*When* they make a mistake: Show empathy, ask what happened, say I’m sorry that happened, and ask if they would do anything differently. *Don’t shame them!*

**Digital Natives (born after 1983):** They do not know life without email, texts, Facebook, & tweets.

The most successful communicators/parents evolve with technology.