

# PEAK PRIORITIES

“Who are truly happy on earth?”

Matthew 5:5

January 27, 2019 (AM)

**Prioritized Truth:** “Blessed are the gentle, for they shall inherit the earth.”

## I. Comments

- A. The Sermon on the Mount is the longest continuous discourse of \_\_\_\_\_ in the New Testament.
- B. Jesus described day to day life in His kingdom lived out on earth, which is challenging, but possible for \_\_\_\_\_ only, because of His power and presence.
- C. Kingdom life on earth requires the right attitude toward \_\_\_\_\_ and others.
- D. The pattern of living according to Jesus’ teaching is the only life that \_\_\_\_\_ God.

## II. Context

### A. The Preacher

1. Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ in His teaching.
2. Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ in His teaching.
3. Jesus was \_\_\_\_\_ in His teaching.

### B. The People

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ followed Jesus because they were curious about Him, but not committed to Him.
2. The \_\_\_\_\_ followed Jesus because they were committed to Him.

### C. The Perspective

1. Jews expected the Messiah to provide deliverance from Roman rule and establish an earthly reign through \_\_\_\_\_ strength and miraculous power.
2. Jews expected the Messiah to \_\_\_\_\_ them and their religious ways, while condemning and conquering all others.
3. Jews did not expect the Messiah to come \_\_\_\_\_ with little fanfare.
4. Jews did not expect the Messiah to live in meekness and die in \_\_\_\_\_, especially on a Roman cross.

### D. The Profound

1. Jesus’ words are \_\_\_\_\_.
2. Jesus’ words are \_\_\_\_\_.

## III. The Celebration

### A. Blessed - genuinely \_\_\_\_\_

### B. Gentle - mild or soft; not asserting oneself \_\_\_\_\_ others in arrogance or for selfish gain

1. When mistreated by someone, don’t \_\_\_\_\_ . Be gentle.
2. When others make bad decisions, be \_\_\_\_\_ and slow to anger.
3. When you are not given what you deserve, don’t demand. If talking is necessary, talk through it with \_\_\_\_\_.
4. When you are dealing with waiters and waitresses, and employees of the cable company and utility company, and cashiers in a store or drive-through, do you really want to talk down to them like you are \_\_\_\_\_ and they are stupid or incompetent? Be gentle.
5. When you are dealing with people you love the most, treat them with love; speak respectfully; be \_\_\_\_\_.

### C. They shall inherit the earth - live on the new earth and rule with God over paradise \_\_\_\_\_



## WORSHIP GATHERING

*"Blessed Assurance"*

REACH RANKIN MOMENT

PRAYER AND WELCOME

*"Lamb of God"*

*"Kings and Kingdoms"*

PRAYER

OFFERING

*"The Power of the Cross"*

MESSAGE

PRAYER AND COMMITMENT

## DEACON PRAYER

9:00 a.m. - Charlie Yates

10:30 a.m. - Will Cooper

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The **Church Leadership Council** meets today in Boatner Hall at 5:00 p.m. All members of the Council should have received an emailed invitation recently. If anyone has questions related in any way to the Council, please contact Matthew Smith or Glenn Bryant.
- The **quarterly business meeting** is tonight immediately following evening worship.
- The **Music & Worship Ministry** Palm Sunday/Easter rehearsals are Tuesday 2/5, 2/19, 3/5, 3/19, 4/2, and 4/9 at 6:30 p.m. If you are interested in joining the music ministry, now is a great time as we kick off this new season.
- **Collide Weekend 2019** is February 1-3. The speaker is Erik Reed and the praise band is The Liberty Worship Collective. The cost is \$75 for students (7th-12th graders). For more information and to register, visit [www.collideweekend.com](http://www.collideweekend.com).
- The senior adult **Lunch Bunch Bus Day Trip** is Tuesday, January 29. The group will ride on a motor coach to the Senior Adult Evangelism Conference at Country Woods Baptist Church in Byram. Program leaders will be Brothers 4 Quartet, humorist Mickey Bounds, Voices of Joy, and Dennis Swanberg. Following the conference, the group will have lunch at Berry's in Florence. The bus will leave PPBC at 7:15 a.m. and return at 2:30 p.m. Cost is \$20 per person and includes lunch. Sign up at the table near the elevator.
- **Children's Choir** meets Sundays at 5:00 p.m. in the Choir Room. All 1-6 Graders are invited to join as we begin working on a spring program, *The Born Again Identity*, based on the mysterious encounter between Jesus and Nicodemus.
- All preschoolers and their families are invited to attend **Frosty February** Saturday, February 9 from 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. in the Game Room and Gym. Come enjoy cupcakes, crafts, and other fun winter activities! Sign up at the Welcome Center.
- **Glow Games 2019** is Friday, February 15 and is for kids 1st-6th grade. Sign up at the Welcome Center or at [www.parkplacekids.net](http://www.parkplacekids.net).
- **Reach Rankin:** For the entire month of March, all adult Sunday School classes are encouraged to organize and conduct their own "reach" in the community. Our desire is for each class to be involved in ministering to the people of Rankin County in some particular way. Sunday School teachers, please let either Brad Baxter, Glenn Bryant, or Matthew Smith know of your idea for ministry by Sunday, February 17.
- The **New Orleans summer mission trip** interest meeting is Sunday, February 3 in Room 125 following evening worship. A \$50 deposit is due by Sunday, February 17 and can be given to Jason Bryant or Shayne Wilkinson.

## CONTRIBUTION REPORT

Weekly Budget Receipts	\$25,544
Weekly Budget Required	\$33,257
Giving over (under) budget	(\$7,713)
Debt Retirement	\$0
Global Impact	\$250
Other	\$197
R3	\$0
Total Received	\$25,991

## INFORMATION

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