

FYI: Our church uses multiple methods of communication for Sunday morning talks. Regardless of the method being used today (live or on video), our goal is life transformation! We hope this is your experience.

Baggage – Week 7

Speaker: Dave Nelson

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God blesses those who are merciful, for they will be shown mercy.
Matthew 5:7

- 1) Justice is _____ someone what they deserve.
- 2) Mercy is _____ someone what they deserve.
- 3) Grace is giving someone what they _____ deserve.

• Forgiveness is refusing to seek _____ or be consumed by a past _____.

God blesses those who work for peace, for they will be called the children of God. Matthew 5:9

• A _____ is someone who tries to resolve conflict.

Bottom line: Ongoing happiness requires me to evaluate all of my relationships, offer forgiveness to those who have hurt me, and make amends for the harm I've done to others, except when to do so would harm them or others.

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Other verses used during this talk: Romans 5:6; Hebrews 2:17; Lamentations 3:22; Colossians 3:3; Colossians 1:19-20; 2 Corinthians 5:17-21

MEMORY VERSE FOR THE SERIES: *Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need.*
Matthew 6:33

What is the Holy Spirit saying to me through this message?

WHAT'S YOUR NEXT STEP DURING THIS SERIES?

- Memorize the key Bible verse for this series (Matthew 6:33)
- _____

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BOOK RESOURCES FOR THIS SERIES:

- *Life's Healing Choices*, by John Baker
- *Crucifying Morality*, by R.W. Glenn

BABY DEDICATIONS

If you'd like to dedicate your baby on Sunday, December 1st, at one of our services, please check the "baby dedication" box on your connection card. We'll send you an email with information and a link to sign up.