



LIVE - Recognize Sin

Week 3: 'Show Forgiveness'

Matthew 18:21-35

Parable of the Unforgiving Debtor

21 Then Peter came to him and asked, “Lord, how often should I forgive someone who sins against me? Seven times?”

22 “No, not seven times,” Jesus replied, “but seventy times seven!”

23 “Therefore, the Kingdom of Heaven can be compared to a king who decided to bring his accounts up to date with servants who had borrowed money from him. 24 In the process, one of his debtors was brought in who owed him millions of dollars. 25 He couldn’t pay, so his master ordered that he be sold—along with his wife, his children, and everything he owned—to pay the debt.

26 “But the man fell down before his master and begged him, ‘Please, be patient with me, and I will pay it all.’

27 Then his master was filled with pity for him, and he released him and forgave his debt.

28 “But when the man left the king, he went to a fellow servant who owed him a few thousand dollars. He grabbed him by the throat and demanded instant payment.

29 “His fellow servant fell down before him and begged for a little more time. ‘Be patient with me, and I will pay it,’ he pleaded. 30 But his creditor wouldn’t wait. He had the man arrested and put in prison until the debt could be paid in full.

31 “When some of the other servants saw this, they were very upset. They went to the king and told him everything that had happened. 32 Then the king called in the man he had forgiven and said, ‘You evil servant! I forgave you that tremendous debt because you pleaded with me. 33 Shouldn’t you have mercy on your fellow servant, just as I had mercy on you?’ 34 Then the angry king sent the man to prison to be tortured until he had paid his entire debt.

35 “That’s what my heavenly Father will do to you if you refuse to forgive your brothers and sisters from your heart.”

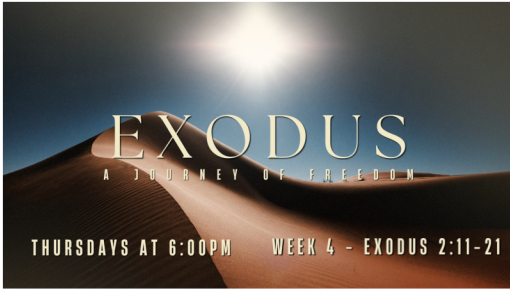
Prayer Requests



Lawrence Johnson
 Jean Tinch
 Karianna Gibbs & baby
 Jerome Bloom (Johnsny's neighbor)
 Judy Whipple - Hospice
 Ruth Harrison - Medical tests
 Lincoln Lambotte (Diane Burks' grandson)

Donna Parrett
 Theo Atwood (Donna Parrett's great grandbaby)
 Denise Matthews-Hospice (Alea Lucas' mom)
 Rose Burk - Chemo
 Virginia Hunt (Mona Nichols' great aunt)
 Jerry Arlinghaus (Mona Nichols' friend)

**A weekly updated long term prayer list can be picked up in the lobby.



TONIGHT @ 6:00

UPCOMING EVENTS

Affirmation Sermon for Zach Korff on Sept 10
 Voting by members of New Heights Christian Church will take place after the service. **AFFIRMED**

Congregational Meeting on Sept 24 with pitch-in
 Deacons up for re-affirmation: Collin Clark, Adam Martin, Brian Kennedy and Gary Clavell
 Elder up for affirmation: Adam Lucas

OUTDOOR SERVICE 10.22.23

Logos for 'new heights' and 'MAHONING VALLEY Christian Service Camp' are visible at the bottom.

WEEKLY BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Jaxon Clark 9-19 Jerry & Pam Gobin 9-22
 Chance Waverly Clark 9-21



Vitals for September 10

Weekly Need: \$3,200
 Actual Given: \$5,038

Sunday School - 25
 Morning Service - 79

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