

## How Do We Define Success?

### Introduction

We want to be perceived as successful.

- I. Myths about success.
  - a. Success \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. We all want our lives to matter.
    - ii. The world says that “great at” is the same as greatness.
    - iii. Some problems with this.
  - b. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. God didn’t create us to long for mediocrity.
    - ii. Mark 10:43-
    - iii. What scoring system are we going to use?
      1. Luke 12:16-20.
- II. Jesus says two things about how we should keep score.
  - a. We must be \_\_\_\_\_ toward \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. If the sum of a person’s life is burned up, were they really a success?
    - ii. Matt. 6:19-21.
    - iii. What can we do that will continue into eternity?
    - iv. The only score that matters is the score that God gives us.
  - b. We must be \_\_\_\_\_ toward \_\_\_\_\_.
    - i. What is the great commandment? The man asked for one, Jesus gave him two.
    - ii. Matt. 22:34-40.
    - iii. Mark 9:33-35.

### Conclusion

Everyday there are opportunities for greatness.

The story of the “Good Samaritan” – Luke 10.

Everybody can be great because everybody can serve.

Phil. 2:5-8.

Don’t pass Jesus on the way up the ladder.

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**Sunday Worship** (10:00 & 4:00)

**Sunday Bible Study** (9:00)

**Wednesday Bible Study** (6:30)

**Life Groups** (Various Locations)

#### Ministers:

Doug Austin & Michael Nelson

#### Elders:

Davis Bennett - Tim Dunnahoo

Wayne Fenter - Jerry McCormack

Lee Rogers - David West

**Elder Chairman of the Month:**

Lee Rogers

#### OUR MISSION

*To seek and save the lost through  
evangelism, benevolence, and edification.*

-Luke 19:10

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## Worship Order – September 27, 2020

**Welcome:** Tim Dunnahoo

**Song Leader:** Kent Taylor

**Songs:**

**Communion Song:**

**Communion Thought:** David West

**Song:**

**Sermon:** Doug Austin – “How Do We Define Success?”

**Invitation Song:**

**Closing Song:**

**Closing Prayer:** Phil Sexton

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### Prayer Requests

- **Betty Vinson**, Alicia Bennett's mother, is scheduled to have upcoming surgery soon.
- **Jim West**, David West's dad, was released from the hospital in Lubbock and has returned home to Clovis.

### Continue in Prayer

Rosemary O'Neal, Bill Linder, Anita Zuniga, Clara O'Neil, Wanda Walker, Jean Brooks, Tim Miller, Mary Lou Hall, Jerry Stanley, Larry Williams, Ray & Joanne Magness, Vickie Gove, Sam & Pat Gentry, Cheryl Ringheimer, Helen Aston, Elaine Bell, Stephen Coley, Gilbert Ortega, Lunabeth Willis, Glen & Carolyn Browning

# Life@CCR

- **The Elders would like to remind everyone to use the hand sanitizing stations in the building (1-by nursery; 1-by library; 1- gym foyer; 1-foyer table). In addition, they would like to encourage mask wearing when interacting with one another. If we remain vigilant, maybe we can beat this thing!**
- **Our sympathy is extended to Liz Rogers** at the passing of her sister, **Clifta June Cheyne** on Sunday, September 20<sup>th</sup> in England.
- **The October/November/December issue of the Power for Today has arrived!** If you would like a copy dropped in the mail, just give the office a call. ☺
- The weekly **Guys Only Lunch** will meet on **Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup>**. Please meet at **Pepper's at 11:30 a.m.** All men are invited to participate!
- Parents, there are a plethora of **activity pages** located at the Home Pointe Center for your kiddos each Sunday morning. Be sure & check them out!
- **The shower table for Matt & Anna Ingalls will remain up until Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup>!** **Matt & Anna** are registered at Target & Amazon. If you prefer to drop a gift in the mail, their address is 11 Stephens Circle, 88201.
- **We are excited to announce the return of Bible Class, taking place on Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup>! Further details will follow soon but the plan for now is to offer classes for Journey Land kids (1<sup>st</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> grade) through adults!**

### **Week @ a Glance** Celebrations & Happenings

<b>27<sup>th</sup></b>	Journeyland Zoom meeting @ 9 a.m. Children's Worship on Facebook Live @ 9:30 a.m. A.M. worship via 106.5 or Facebook Live @ 10 a.m. Dillon Reynolds, Vanessa Baeza & Pat Escalante's b-day.
<b>28<sup>th</sup></b>	Tim Dunnahoo's b-day.
<b>29<sup>th</sup></b>	Jacob Puckett's b-day.
<b>30<sup>th</sup></b>	Wednesday evening worship @ 6:30 p.m. Lynda Woody & Charlotte English's b-day.
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Jan Dunnahoo & Melissa Ramirez's b-day.

**Pantry Items Needed:** Spaghetti sauce

### Life Group Study Questions

1. Think about successful people you know. What makes them successful? What can you learn from them?
2. How does the world define success? How does God?
3. Is it wrong to want to be successful? Is it wrong to want to be great at something?
4. Why is ultimate success unattainable for many? Does this make them failures?
5. Why is God more concerned with service over success?
6. Reflect on Matthew 22:34-40. Why are these two commandments so important?
7. Has your success ever been unsatisfying? Why?

### Thank You Note Received

Dear Church Family,  
Thank you so much for the cards, calls and encouragement. I really appreciate the love & support. -Pablo Contreras

### Journey Land Zoom Class Schedule

September 27<sup>th</sup> (Geography)  
October 4<sup>th</sup> (Bible) – Moses: God's Law Given to Moses  
October 11<sup>th</sup> (Bible) – Moses: Continuation of God's Law  
October 18<sup>th</sup> (Geography/History)  
October 25<sup>th</sup> (Geography/History)

### Those Scheduled to Serve

**Deacons on Duty:** Dale English, Pablo Contreras, Jacob Puckett  
**Men on Duty:** S.C. Morrow, John Matta, Brandon Cometti, Mark Pantuso, Tom Shaffer, Bill Steinruck, Marco Ramirez  
**Greeters:** David & Shana West

### For the Record

Sunday/Wednesday Bible Class.....---/---  
Sunday AM/PM Worship.....159/39  
Weekly Contribution.....\$6,712