Sheep and the Goats

If Jesus were in our midst, what would you do?

- I. When the Son of Man comes. . . .
 - a. Why don't we think of the second coming like the early church?
 - b. The judgment scene.
 - i. Heb. 9:27.
 - ii. Rom. 8:1.
- II. The King expects more than just random acts of mercy.
 - a. Children of the kingdom are to be dominated by love.
 - b. Food and drink for the hungry and thirsty.
 - i. Jam. 2:14-17.
 - ii. How many souls stay lost because of our lack of concern?
 - c. An invitation for a stranger.
 - i. Heb. 13:1-2.
 - ii. Example of the Church in Acts 2.
 - d. Clothes for the naked.
 - e. Care for the sick.
 - f. Visits for the imprisoned.
 - i. People need the most encouragement when times are the darkest.
 - ii. Heb. 13:3.
 - g. Are these only physical needs that must be met?
 - i. Is there a better way to meet the needs of the soul?
 - ii. Luke 4:18-19 (quote of Is. 61:1-2).
- III. "Least of these."
 - a. Why are we so hesitant to live this passage?
 - b. Is the punishment given out to the goats a little harsh?
 - c. Jam. 4:17.

Love may be our greatest witness.

Are we this kind of a disciple?

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Sunday Morning Bible study (9:00 a.m.)

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Visitors, please scan this QR code and tell us a little about yourself!

Prayer Requests

 Matt Rogers has received encouraging news from his doctors concerning his blood work. He continues to undergo chemo treatments and the family covets all prayers on his behalf.

Continue in Prayer

Rosemary O'Neal, Anita Zuniga, Clara O'Neil, Wanda Walker, Sam & Pat Gentry, Cheryl Ringheimer, Helen Aston, Elaine Bell, Kathleen Sherman, Chris & Glenna Bertola, Mary Ann Baeza, Pat Davenport, Larry Young, George & Betty Vinson

From the Mailbag...

Dear Church Family, we want to thank God for his many blessings towards our family. We also want to thank you for your thoughts and prayers. Luciano is recovering well, and his parents are now at ease. Because of your prayers we were able to travel safely to Lubbock and back and we were able to see great results in Luciano's procedure. We are beyond grateful for all the blessings! In Christ's name, Luciano, Alyssa, Isaiah, Kim and Mynor



October 29th, 2023 @4:30 p.m.

Trunk or Treat is just around the corner. This is one of the biggest outreach opportunities of the year! We will have hundreds of kids grace our parking lot, along with their parents. If possible, please consider:

a) Donating Candy and/or

b) Decorating a trunk to pass out candy

We also plan to serve free hotdogs on this special night. If you are willing to help in this capacity, it would be much appreciated, too!

Life@CCR

• Recharge this week was prepared by Jan & Tim Dunnahoo and Mary Salyards. We are continually grateful to our hard-working chefs for their commitment to provide tasty food week after week for this time of fellowship. Next week's meal will feature Mexican stack and homemade cake.

Journey Land needs a "Reflections" teacher for 11/5 & 11/12. The Reflections lesson is just an overview of the information that will be covered for the new rotation. For November, the kids will be learning about our Savior being born into everyday life. If you would be willing to help, please see Melissa Ramirez.

- We are still collecting frozen meals for the Rattan family! You can drop off your frozen meal by the church office at any time. Please remember to attach heating directions to your dish.
- The 4's, 5's & K's class needs a helper on Wednesday nights. If you would be willing to assist the teacher, or if you have questions, please see Amy Joy.
- A common request we have begun receiving from our benevolence cases is for laundry detergent. If you would like to drop off donations of laundry detergent for our church pantry, it would be much appreciated!

Journey Land Rotation for 10/15 - 10/18				
Red Team		Blue Team		
Sunday	Wednesday	Sunday	Wednesday	
10/15:Rotation	10/18:Rotation	10/15:Rotation	10/18:Rotation	
Summary	Summary	Summary	Summary	

Week @ a Glance Celebrations & Happenings

15 th	Bible Class @ 9 a.m.
	A.M. worship @ 10 a.m., also available on 106.5 FM,
	Facebook Live & YouTube.
16 th	Elders Meeting @ 4:30 p.m.
17 th	Joe Baeza & Sheryl Kelly's b-day.
18 th	Ladies Bible Class @ 10 a.m.
	Wednesday Night Recharge @ 5:30 p.m.
	Wednesday evening bible study @ 6:30 p.m.
	Zelia Santos & Alice Rose Perkins' b-day.
20 th	Oscar Hernandez's b-day.
21 st	Loretta O'Neil's b-day.

Study Guide

Text: Matthew 25:31-46

- 1. From this parable, on what basis are people divided into sheep and goats? Does this surprise you?
- 2. Who are some people in your life that have modeled this parable. Take some time to tell their stories.
- 3. What other benefits come to the one taking care of the "least of these" besides the reward of heaven?
- 4. Is the punishment given to the goats a little harsh? Why or why not?
- 5. When have you been hungry, thirsty, a stranger in need of clothes, sick or imprisoned and someone ministered to you? How did it feel?
- 6. Explore this quote from C. S. Lewis in the sermon, "The rule for all of us is fairly simple: do not waste time bothering whether you love your neighbor; act as if you did." What thoughts come to mind when you hear this quote?

Those Scheduled to Serve for October

Deacons on Duty: Dan Montgomery, Jose Baeza, Brandon Cometti, Brian Houghtalin

Men on Duty: Kevin McCormack, Thomas Beard