#### **SERMON NOTES**

MESSAGE: ONE IN THE GOSPEL PART 2



### Sunday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Welcome to Worship!

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If you are new to Gospel Chapel, please fill out a GUEST CARD, located at the info desk, and drop it into the offering box! To update your contact information, please fill out a CONTACT INFORMATION UPDATE FORM, also located at the info desk.

We look forward to hearing from you!

#### **GENERAL NOTICE**

Our building is a fragrance-free facility to honour those with health conditions and allergies. This includes all perfumes, scented products, and essential oils. Thank you for your understanding.

Please note that those seated nearest the stage may be captured on our live-stream, which is available for public viewing.

#### **GOSPEL CHAPEL**

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#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### SEPTEMBER-OCTOBER CALENDAR

- ◆ Sept 15<sup>th</sup> Plan to Protect Refresher after service / Fireside Rm
- → Sept 26<sup>th</sup> Sensible Shoes Study begins / 1-3pm / Fireside Rm
- ◆ Sept 29<sup>th</sup> 7 Mile Story / GC Sanctuary / Doors open at 6:00pm / Event starts at 6:30pm
- ◆ October 2<sup>nd</sup> 55+ begins / 10am-12pm / Fireside Rm
- → October 3<sup>rd</sup> L.I.F.T. begins / 6:30-8:00pm
- ◆ October 4<sup>th</sup> Youth Large Group Event / More info to follow
- ◆ October 12<sup>th</sup> Celebration of Life for Alice Semenoff / 12-2pm

#### **WEEKLY MINISTRY**

- → SUNDAY / Pre-Service Prayer Time / 8:30-9:20am / Fireside Room
- → SUNDAY / Lodge Ministry / Boundary Lodge 1pm / Silver Kettle 2pm / 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month / No masking required
- → MONDAY / Weekly Ladies DBS / 9:30-11:30am / Childcare room behind balcony / Contact Lindsay Hiebert-Edwards at edwardsmain@protonmail.com
- → MONDAY & THURSDAY / Men's Basketball / 7-9pm
- → WEDNESDAY / Weekly Prayer Meeting (via Zoom) / 7am
  Contact Evelyn Brown at <a href="mailto:evbaca@juno.com">evbaca@juno.com</a> for link
- → FRIDAY / Men's Group / 6am / MW Electric (222 72<sup>nd</sup> Ave)
- → SATERDAY / Prayer for Israel-Hamas War / 1-2pm / 1536 Donaldson Drive / Hosted by Sarah Kirchhevel

#### **7 MILE STORY**

- → Join Ross Breitkreuz on a journey through time & faith. Discover and experience the Bible as one seamless story that will inspire, entertain, and engage the whole family.
- ★ Consider inviting someone (maybe one of your 'My Five') who doesn't know Jesus to this event and purchase them a ticket! It's a gift that they may never forget. Tickets are available at: <a href="https://www.rossbreitkreuz.com/events/seven-mile-story-grand-forks-b-c">https://www.rossbreitkreuz.com/events/seven-mile-story-grand-forks-b-c</a>. They will also be available for purchase after Sunday service on Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> and 22<sup>nd</sup>, or at the door! Tickets are \$7.50 each for adults and free for those 18 and under! Visit the office after service to purchase a ticket!

#### SENSIBLE SHOES STUDY

→ Beginning on September 26th (Thursdays, 1-3pm in the Fireside room) and working from the book Sensible Shoes, Carolynne Friesen will be hosting a 12-week study of daily Scripture reading, prayer, and reflection questions. Cost is \$31 for all study materials. Look for Carolynne this Sunday in the foyer for more details or email her at carolynnef55@gmail.com if interested.

#### **OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD**

◆ Look for Barry Hoover in the inner foyer and pick up OCC shoeboxes this Sunday! Set aside \$10 per box. Join in with your community group, triad, or team up with a friend or family!

#### **COATS FOR KIDS**

→ Donate new and gently used children's and adults winter clothing. Donations will be accepted until Oct. 8<sup>th</sup>. Drop off items at Discover Border Country Realty, Farmers Market (Tues & Fri), GF Library (Tues-Sat), CIBC (Mon-Fri), or Fields (4<sup>th</sup> St. Location, Mon-Sat). Free distribution will take place Oct. 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, 10am-2pm at YWAM, 7525 4<sup>th</sup> St.

#### **GIVING**

- → Please use the <u>offering box</u> located at the info desk for your donations during Sunday service times!
- → To give to the ministry of Gospel Chapel: e-transfer to gcfinanceteam@gmail.com, drop-off envelops at the church office Tuesday through Thursday, or deposit them into the offering box during Sunday services.

#### PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Oksana Betancurt

Steve Birdsall (Kristy Benson's brother)
Tony Bosch & Ann Flynn (Coby Postma's brother-in-law & sister)
Luke Postma (Steve Postma's brother)
Georgia Campeau/ Jim Goertzen / Jack Hooge
Norm Marian / Ruth Martens
Maxim & Anya Oliferovski / Multiply Pastors — Zaporozhye, Ukraine
Darlene Preston (Tammy Battersby's mother)
Paula Savin / Doug Sinclair / Barb Smuland





## Compassion is caring enough to do something about someone else's needs.



DAY 1

DAY 2

#### Read Matthew 14:19-20

What do you usually find in your lunch box? Draw a picture of your typical lunch in the space below.



Fun fact: the kid who gave up his meal to the disciples probably didn't give up lunch. Most likely, it was supposed to be his dinner. When he left home that day, he had NO idea how far that one small meal would go. But because he was willing to use what he had to help, Jesus multiplied it to feed thousands of people.

There are BIG needs all around us. And sometimes, it might feel like your value-sized meal's worth of help won't make enough of a difference. Don't let that stop you from helping! You might not be able to help everyone, but you can help someone.

#### **Packed with Compassion**

Write "Use what you have to help others" on a piece of masking tape and stick it to the bottom of your lunch bag as a reminder to show compassion this week.

#### Read Ephesians 4:32

What matters to you? Set a timer for 30 seconds and write down the things you value most in the box.

What's Important to Me

When it comes to compassion, we can show others that they matter. Today's verse gives us a few clues.

- 1. Choose kindness: What does kindness mean to you?
  - Kindness is showing concern for others, putting others first, and helping even if it costs you something.
- 2. Be tenderhearted: What does it mean to be tender towards someone else?
  - Being tenderhearted means showing concern for others, listening and caring.
- 3. Forgive: Why is forgiveness important?
  - Forgiveness is being willing to overlook a wrong—to let it go.

Did you name anyone in your list above? How could you show compassion to that person this week? Ask God to help you choose kindness, be tenderhearted, and forgive.









DAY 3



DAY 4

#### Read Hebrews 13:16

What was the last thing you forgot? Maybe you forgot to...

Finish your homework

Plug in your iPad or computer for school

Take out the trash

Close the fridge all the way

Say "thank you" when someone helped you

We all forget things sometimes. That's why the writer of Hebrews is reminding us to show compassion by doing good and by choosing to share. One trick to help you remember is when you see a need, repeat these two key questions below to yourself. Once you have an answer, get busy using what you have to help others. Know that when you do, God is so pleased.

#### **Two Key Compassion Questions**

- → How can I "do good"?
- → What can I share?

#### Read 1 Thessalonians 5:11

Do you like to build things? Maybe you're a Lego or K-Nex kid. Maybe you love to stack things to build the tallest tower. Today's verse is talking about a different kind of "building." To build others up means to encourage, to literally give courage where it is needed.

You can encourage by:

- → Praying for others
- ⇒ Speaking words that are true and helpful
- → Offering to help

There are lots of ways you can encourage others that don't cost anything. You can use what you have (your prayers, your words, and your good deeds) to show compassion!

#### **Build the Verse**

Grab a set of Jenga blocks or Lego bricks and masking tape. Write out the words of today's verse on small pieces of tape to attach to the front of each block or brick, then build the verse by stacking up the words in verse order. Don't forget to include the reference (1 Thessalonians 5:11) at the end.





Use what you have to help others.





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# PRAYER REQUESTS





Ricky and Karen Sanchez, Supported Missionaries with YWAM & Multiply

#### Please pray for...

- The new child we took in, Cream, aged 18 months, as she adjusts.
- Our church, Zion Church, praise God for new people who have been coming...about 5 new people. Pray they will put roots deep in their faith in Jesus and really be committed to the church.
- We got certified to open and urn a DTS under YWAM. We are going to staff a DTS in Bangkok that will bring the students to our location for a wee each month, starting in January 2025. After that, we hipe to open our own DTS in Jan. 2026.
- We have found a building next to ALH that is for sale. We are praying about buying it and renovating it into housing and classrooms and a possible coffee shop for the DTS. Please pray for wisdom for us as we discern, and favor as we speak with the landlord, donors and possible project overseers from N. America.
- Our new role with the Chonburi Provincial Govt. as a temporary safe house for victims of human trafficking. So far we have taken in 2 young girls, aged 13 and 14, and were blessed to provide care and were able to share the gospel with them.
- Both of us as our kids are all living in N. America now. 3 in BC and 1 in Kona, HI. And for Karen's parents who are 85. We need wisdom on how to care and be there for them as well. We are praying and asking God for people to donate air miles to be able to go back and forth to provide care in both Canada and Thailand.
- 'Gap', a woman we took in out of the sex trade in Pattaya, with her daughter. She just relapsed into drug use after 3.5 years clean, and she needs a breakthrough.
- Our team as we prepare to launch a DTS in Chonburi next year. Katie, Jeff, and us completed the mandatory training course this month, and are certified to open and lead a DTS! Pray for a building. There is a building we are praying about, and we need Jesus to guide us.
- The new believers from Global Sports, to be discipled by their local churches.
- New monthly donors for ALH. With the ministry expanding, we need new monthly givers!

Your prayers sustain us here on the field, and we need prayer every day! Thank you for praying, and please do not grow weary in prayer. We need you! Thank you for your faithful friendship, prayers and support, we pray for you often. God seems to be expanding our reach into more areas and more lives, and we trust that He will continue to provide for the sake of the Gospel.