



"A Place of Grace"

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Community Church of Pincher Creek

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June 9th 2024

10:00 AM Live & Online** **Evening Service 6 – 6:45 pm**
Prayer Hours before services: Morning 9 am Evening 5 pm
Sunday School During Morning service * **Nursery** Open for use

2024 Programs – Ladies' Bible Studies and Seniors' Monthly Lunch on
Summer Hiatus. Will restart in September

3rd Sunday – Potluck after church. Evening Church Service 6 pm at Vista

Village Extended Care, 7 pm @ Crestview

Men's Bible Study Weds 7pm Youth – 7:30 pm Fridays at church*

Young Adults – Thursdays 7 pm @ church

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Offerings Options - box on back table, **Mail - CCC Box 757, Pincher Creek ToK**
1Wo. Auto-debit or e-transfer – ccctreasurer20@gmail.com

Benevolent offering - box on back table or add to your auto debit

Announcements – Join us next Sunday for Potluck lunch immediately after church. Bring a meat, salad or dessert that will feed 8-10 people if you can.

*It's preparation time for our summer camps. Every **Saturday in June** is a work day at **Mill Creek Camp** to prepare for campers – your help is most welcome. info@millcreek.org

Camp Nookowai work day is June 29th. See Chantel & John for information

Worship through Music – Dana, Chelsea and Eli

Worship through Prayer –

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Today's Notes . . . June 9th, 2024 – Pastor Donny

Dying to Live by Giving and Blessing

Matthew 5:33-48

Jesus' charge to the disciples is "let your righteousness exceed that of the Pharisees". In these "But I say" instructions he is showing us exactly how to do that.

I. Give your Word

- Duet. 23:21-27 – to vow and not keep it is SIN
- To swear falsely is to PROFANE the name of God Lev. 19:12; Lev. 18:21 (profane); Duet. 5:11
- Relates to INTEGRITY – keep our word
 - o To not keep our word is an outward expression of an inward condition
 - o Internal integrity shows in words of integrity
 - o Credibility – can you be believed. Are you trustworthy?
- I Chronicles 29:17; Psalm 15:1,2
 - o God says "Ahhhhh" when we are people of integrity

II. Give yourself

- The law of retaliation Exodus 21:22-27; Lev 24:19, 20
- Duet 19:19 the reasons for this law:
 - o Just judgement and prevention of future crimes
- Pharisees had turned this into an opportunity for revenge
- Resist evil
 - o Give the other cheek
 - o Give your shirt and your coat
 - o Give your extra service (The second mile is a real test of character)

III. Bless your enemies (seek their good)

- Here is how to Love your enemy
 - o Love them, Bless them and Pray for them
- Be like Him "Perfection is the standard. Direction is the test"

Practical Application

- Dead people Give generously in most situations
- Dead people We all will have enemies Matt 10:25
 - o No enemies? Might want to check your Righteousness - Luke 6:26
- Jesus meant this kind of life to be your DEFAULT response
- Why live this way?
 - o God saved you when you were His enemy Romans 5:10
 - o We show ourselves to have God's DNA Matt 5:44
 - o Vengeance is mine says the Lord Romans 12:19,20
 - o Great is your reward in heaven Matt 5:11, 12

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