

# SUNDAY GATHERING // 4.23.23

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- The Spring Discipleship Class starts on April 23<sup>rd</sup> for three evenings. This is one of our foundational classes here at Seaside. Register @ [seasidechurch.com/discipleshipclass](https://seasidechurch.com/discipleshipclass).
- Our 5<sup>th</sup> Grade Discipleship Class starts April 30<sup>th</sup> during the first gathering. Find all the details and registration @ [seasidechurch.com/5thgradediscipleshipclass](https://seasidechurch.com/5thgradediscipleshipclass).
- Join us for Be Bremerton, partnering with the Bremerton school district to serve our city. May 13<sup>th</sup> @ 8:30a at Evergreen Park. Too early? Join us at 10a @ Seaside for a Work Party. Hot dogs provided for both work parties!
- We are hosting another workshop on the Principles of Making Marriage Work starting May 8<sup>th</sup>, and running for three Monday nights. Cost is \$50 per couple. Details and registration @ [seasidechurch.com/workshop](https://seasidechurch.com/workshop).
- Join us on April 30<sup>th</sup> for a Celebration of Ministry of Rob's decade of ministry here at Seaside. Bring an appetizer or dessert to share. You can bring a card for Rob and Beth.
- Man Camp is May 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>. This is a weekend for Seaside men to draw to Christ through his word and develop in community- gathering, eating, playing, singing and resting together. Register @ [seasidechurch.com/mancamp](https://seasidechurch.com/mancamp).

## COLLECT:

Almighty God, you gave your only Son to be for us both a sacrifice for sin and an example of godly living: Give us grace thankfully to receive his immeasurable benefits, and daily to follow the blessed steps of his most holy life; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen.

## READINGS:

Acts 2:14a, 36-47 // Psalm 116:12-19  
1 Peter 1:13-25 // Luke 24:13-35

## THE SERMON ON THE MOUNT

### The Righteous Life: The Fulfillment of the Law Matthew 5:17-20

[17] "Do not think that I have come to abolish the Law or the Prophets; I have not come to abolish them but to fulfill them. [18] For truly, I say to you, until heaven and earth pass away, not an iota, not a dot, will pass from the Law until all is accomplished. [19] Therefore whoever relaxes one of the least of these commandments and teaches others to do the same will be called least in the kingdom of heaven, but whoever does them and teaches them will be called great in the kingdom of heaven. [20] For I tell you, unless your righteousness exceeds that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. [ESV]

## NEXT WEEK [4.30.23]

Lectionary Readings: Acts 6:1-9, 7:2a, 51-60 // Psalm 23  
1 Peter 2:13-25 // John 10:1-10

Sermon Text: Matthew 5:21-26