Grace Community Church of Topsail

Sunday, June 14, 2026: Sermon on the Mount - Matthew 6:19-25

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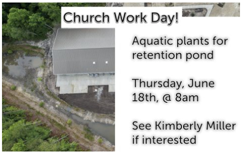

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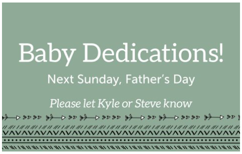

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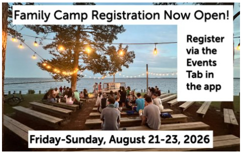

Family Camp Registration Now Open!

Register via the Events Tab in the app

Friday-Sunday, August 21-23, 2026

Zechariah 2:10–13 ESV

> Sing and rejoice, O daughter of Zion, for behold, I come and I will dwell in your midst, declares the LORD. And many nations shall join themselves to the LORD in that day, and shall be my people. And I will dwell in your midst, and you shall know...

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Crown Him With Many Crowns

All I Have Is Christ

Philippians 3:7–8 ESV

But whatever gain I had, I counted as loss for the sake of Christ. Indeed, I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in...

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In Christ Alone

Before The Throne Of God Above

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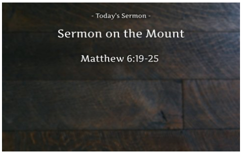
HOW HEAVEN TOUCHES EARTH
Sermon on the Mount Series


- Today's Sermon -

Sermon on the Mount

Matthew 6:19-25

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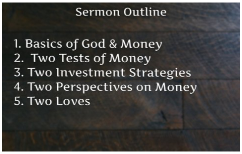
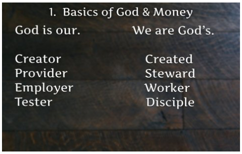
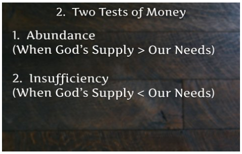

Sermon Outline

1. Basics of God & Money
2. Two Tests of Money
3. Two Investment Strategies
4. Two Perspectives on Money
5. Two Loves



1. Basics of God & Money

God is our.	We are God's.
Creator	Created
Provider	Steward
Employer	Worker
Tester	Disciple



2. Two Tests of Money

1. Abundance
(When God's Supply > Our Needs)

2. Insufficiency
(When God's Supply < Our Needs)

Matthew 6:19 KJV1900

> Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal:

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Luke 12:18–19 KJV1900

> And he said, This will I do: I will pull down my barns, and build greater; and there will I bestow all my fruits and my goods. And I will say to my soul, Soul, thou hast much goods laid up for many years; take thine ease, eat, drink, and be merry.

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Deuteronomy 6:10–12 KJV1900

> And it shall be, when the LORD thy God shall have brought thee into the land which he sware unto thy fathers, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob, to give thee great and goodly cities, which thou buildedst not, And houses full of all good things,...

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Deuteronomy 8:17–18 KJV1900

> And thou say in thine heart, My power and the might of mine hand hath gotten me this wealth. But thou shalt remember the LORD thy God: for it is he that giveth thee power to get wealth, that he may establish his covenant which he sware unto thy...

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2 Corinthians 8:3–4 KJV1900

> For to their power, I bear record, yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves; Praying us with much intreaty that we would receive the gift, and take upon us the fellowship of the ministering to the saints.

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2 Corinthians 9:11 KJV1900

> Being enriched in every thing to all bountifulness, which causeth through us thanksgiving to God.

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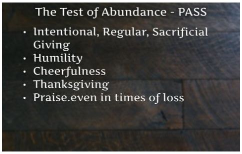
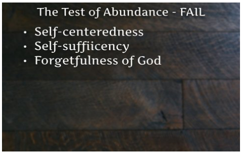


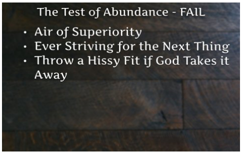
The Test of Abundance - PASS

- Intentional, Regular, Sacrificial Giving
- Humility
- Cheerfulness
- Thanksgiving
- Praise.even in times of loss



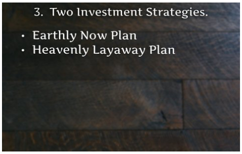
The Test of Abundance - FAIL

- Self-centeredness
- Self-suffiicency
- Forgetfulness of God



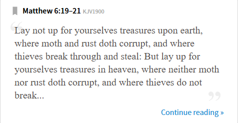
The Test of Abundance - FAIL

- Air of Superiority
- Ever Striving for the Next Thing
- Throw a Hissy Fit if God Takes it Away



3. Two Investment Strategies.

- Earthly Now Plan
- Heavenly Layaway Plan



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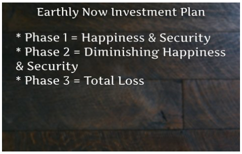
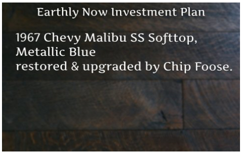


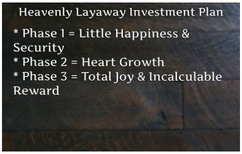
Earthly Now Investment Plan

* Phase 1 = Happiness & Security
* Phase 2 = Diminishing Happiness & Security
* Phase 3 = Total Loss



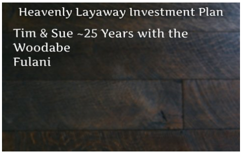
Earthly Now Investment Plan

1967 Chevy Malibu SS Softtop, Metallic Blue
restored & upgraded by Chip Foose.



Heavenly Layaway Investment Plan

* Phase 1 = Little Happiness & Security
* Phase 2 = Heart Growth
* Phase 3 = Total Joy & Incalculable Reward



Heavenly Layaway Investment Plan

Tim & Sue ~25 Years with the Woodabe
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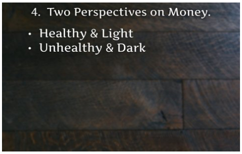
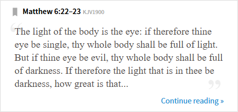


4. Two Perspectives on Money.

- Healthy & Light
- Unhealthy & Dark



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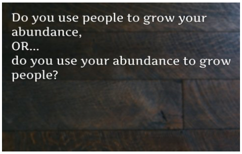
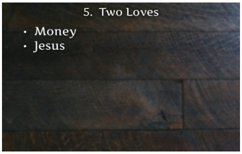
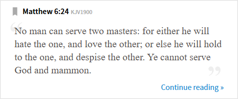


Do you use people to grow your abundance,
OR…
do you use your abundance to grow people?



5. Two Loves

- Money
- Jesus



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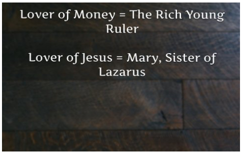
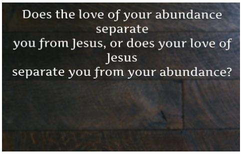
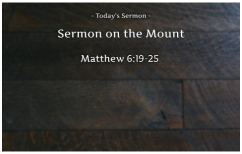


Lover of Money = The Rich Young Ruler

Lover of Jesus = Mary, Sister of Lazarus



Does the love of your abundance separate
you from Jesus, or does your love of Jesus
separate you from your abundance?



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Theme: Summer favorites

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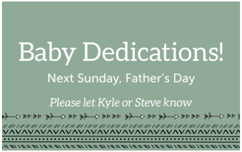

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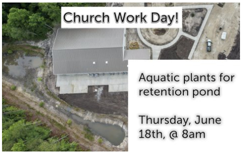
Volunteers Needed for Monthly Baby Pantry Ministry

gofundme
Jennifer Norris
In loving memory of Paisley and Landon Presnell

Javier's extended family in Leland - Dustin and Jessica Presnell and daughter Letty survived the house fire. Dustin and Letty have been released from the hospital.

See Mary Copeland



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Accountability & Discipleship

Men's Group

Tuesday Morning @ 6am
A Taste of Sunrise Coffeehouse

Discussions on Biblical Manhood

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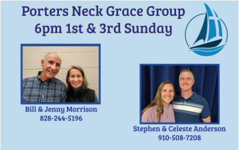

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6pm 1st & 3rd Sunday

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Stephen & Celeste Anderson
910-508-7208

Castle Hayne Grace Group
1st Sunday at 5pm & 3rd Friday at 6.30pm

Bobby & Wendy Rosinbaum
910-602-0121

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919-917-5988

Washington Acres Grace Group
6pm 1st & 3rd Sunday

Ben & Ashlyn Regier
910-431-5646

Warren & Miriam Rich
910-622-1711

Country Club Drive Grace Group
6pm Every Friday

Tom & Kimberly Miller
920-737-6445

Max & Melissa Luke
910-619-0168

South Belvedere Grace Group
6pm 1st & 3rd Friday

Jim & Deborah Farmer
910-470-0424

Evan & Micaela Head
910-547-1999

North Belvedere Grace Group
5pm 1st & 3rd Sunday

Bob & Necey Highet
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Holly Ridge/Sneads Ferry Grace Group
6pm Friday, Every 2 weeks

Cooper & Madison Strand
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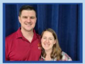

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Tajikistan
Largest religion: Islam
Population: 10,094,000 people
% evangelical Christian: 0.7%

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Japan
Largest religion: Buddhism
Population: 123,218,000 people
% evangelical Christian: 0.57%

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Myanmar
Largest religion: Buddhism
Population: 54,370,000 people
% evangelical Christian: 4%

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Spain
Largest religion: Irreligious Catholic
Population: 47,434,000 people
% Evangelical Christian: 1.6%

Missionaries that GCT Supports

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Journey to Heal MINISTRIES

Prayer Before Sunday Morning Worship, meets at 9AM in Media classroom. Open to all!

"Rejoice always, pray without ceasing, give thanks in all circumstances." — 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

Malachi 3:16 Prayer Group

Meets Fridays @ 10am

Hampstead Baptist Church, Room 208

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