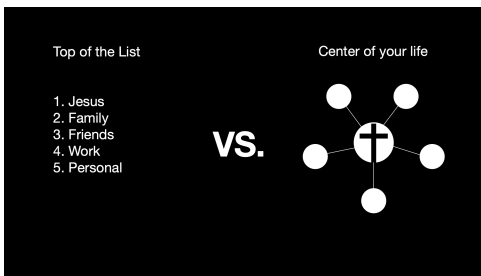


## The Top Priority of the Christian Life, Matthew 6:33

Setting priorities and making plans

1. Do the things that no one else is going to do.
2. Ask, what commitments are already in place?
3. List the things that are most urgent and assign them a place in the week
4. Look ahead at the next 2-3 weeks, the next 3 months, and then make a list of the things that are on the horizon and prioritize them.
5. Leave space in each day for the unexpected to happen (margin).



The top priority at the center of the Christian life is to seek the kingdom of God and his righteousness.

Trust God that He cares for you

Trust God's grace for you

Trust God's plans for your life

8 ways to demonstrate you trust in God's care, grace, and plans for your life:

1. Take God's Word seriously
2. Do whatever it takes to be pure and holy
3. Speak truthfully and trustworthy
4. Pursue peace, be forgiving, and love those who hate you
5. Be generous in your giving to the Lord and to others
6. Pray, depend on God daily, and grow in your relationship with Him
7. Treasure Christ, not people, or the things & experiences you can afford.

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8. Don't worry, be faithful

Are God's Kingdom and His righteousness at the center of your life?

The simplest, hardest, and most significant change you will ever make is to put God's kingdom at the center of your life.

Faking it guarantees you won't make it.

But God guarantees that faith is the way to make it.