OUR FATHER: WORDS YOU THOUGHT YOU KNEW Everyday Fulfillment

6-7-20

<u>Big idea</u>: The Lord's prayer is not something that you just pray: it's a prayer that you actually live.

Matthew 6:13 - For Yours is the <u>kingdom</u> and the <u>power</u> and the <u>glory</u> forever. Amen. NKJV

1 Chronicles 29:11 - Yours, O Lord, is the greatness and the power and the glory and the majesty and the splendor, for everything in heaven and earth is yours.

Romans 11:36 - For from him and through him and to him are all things. To him be the glory forever! Amen.

John 10:10 - The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full.

THREE KEYS TO LIVE A FULFILLED LIFE:

1. Live by God's _____, not yours.

Matthew 6:25, 28, 30-33 - "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear...²⁸ "And why do you worry about clothes?...³⁰... O you of little faith? ³¹ So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' ³² For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. ³³ But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

1 Thessalonians 2:12 - We encouraged you, we comforted you, and we kept urging you to live the kind of life that pleases God, who calls you to share in his own Kingdom and glory. GNT

Put God First:

Finances Interests Relationships Schedules Troubles

2. Live by God's _____

1 Corinthians 4:20 - For the kingdom of God is not a matter of talk but of power.

Ephesians 3:20 - Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us...

How to get God's power:

- By _____
- By taking ______ to obey God

Joshua 3:7-8, 15-16 - And the Lord said to Joshua, "Today I will begin to exalt you in the eyes of all Israel, so they may know that I am with you as I was with Moses. ⁸ Tell the priests who carry the ark of the covenant: 'When you reach the edge of the Jordan's waters, go and stand in the river.'" ... ¹⁵ Now the Jordan is at flood stage all during harvest. Yet as soon as the priests who carried the ark reached the Jordan and their feet touched the water's edge, ¹⁶ the water from upstream stopped flowing. It piled up in a heap a great distance away....

3. Live for God's glory.

Bv

Romans 6:10-11 - When he died, he died once to break the power of sin. But now that he lives, he lives for the glory of God. ¹¹ So you also should consider yourselves to be dead to the power of sin and alive to God through Christ Jesus. (NLT)

HOW TO LIVE FOR GOD'S GLORY?

• Show love to everyone.

Romans 15:7 - Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God.

• Use your abilities to serve everyone.

1 Peter 4:10-11 - Each one should use whatever gift he has received <u>to serve</u> <u>others</u>, faithfully administering God's grace in its various forms. ¹¹ . . . so that in all things God may be <u>praised</u> through Jesus Christ.

• Share the Good News with everyone.

2 Corinthians 4:15 - All this is for your benefit, so that the grace that is reaching more and more people may cause thanksgiving to overflow to the glory of God.

• Join God's family

Ephesians 3:21 - to God be the glory <u>in the church</u> and in Christ Jesus for all time, forever and ever! Amen. TEV

•

Next Steps:

- 1. Commit your life to Christ.
- 2. Practice everyday fulfillment.
- 3. Plan on joining us next week online.
- 4. Download the "Beyond Sunday" Devotion.