

SERMON NOTES

Sermon: How To Be Truly Rich

Text: Luke 12:21

Thesis: God Alone Gives Us The True Object Of Life.

I. Being Rich Towards God Means Working To Make Our Souls Healthy And Good.

- A. Health is important, body and soul.
- B. Having a good soul should be a priority.

II. Being Rich Towards God Means Loving And Enjoying Those Around You.

- A. Nothing happens by chance.
- B. See people as investments.

III. Being Rich Towards God Means Learning Your Gifts And Passions, Then Using Them To Improve Your World.

- A. We need to find what drives and excites us.
- B. The only hope of this world is Jesus.

Conclusion: So let's take a look at ourselves for a moment. Looking at your life through the eyes of Jesus, are you living foolishly or wisely? Are you rich towards God or not? Don't lose hope there is still time for change and modification. There is still time to get and follow the true point of the game. There is still time for you to get to the work God has for you and still time to bring a smile to His face.

Serving Schedules:

Opening 1/31 Jamie Swart

Prayer Request 1/31 A.J. Stancill

Communion Mediation: 1/31 Dan Black

Unlock & secure the church building for: **January:** Greg Spain

February: Bill Staton

Communion Table: **Jan:** A.J. Stancill & Tom LaBarbera

Feb: Greg Spain & Dan Black

Servers: **Jan:** Buddy Teel, Bill Staton, Ray Elks, Jamie Swart

Feb: Steve Scott, Hunter Scott, Mark Scott, David Mayo

Sound System: Dewayne Woolard/Becky Ormond/Ian Garris

Preparing Communion: **Jan:** Becky Ormond / **Feb:** NEED VOLUNTEER

*Home Communion: **Jan:** Johnny Pinner (714-4695)

Feb: Dan Black (258-0897)

*Call if you need home communion brought to you

ANNOUNCEMENTS

No Children's Church this morning – we will keep you informed as to when it will resume.

ANNUAL CONGREGATIONAL MEETING FOR 2021 WILL BE WEDNESDAY 1/27/21 AT 7:00 PM. *The meeting will be held in the sanctuary and via facebook live as well.* All Committees who have not gotten your reports to Debra Staton by now, please provide your reports at the meeting. Copies of the agenda, 2021 budget, 2020 meeting minutes and other reports have been made available in the foyer to pick up for review prior to the meeting.

We will be voting for re-election of some of our elders and deacons. You can vote at the Congregational Meeting or you can do an absentee ballot. With regards to the absentee ballots, please see the insert for instructions on how to get an absentee ballot.

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Join us Sunday Morning, via Facebook Live, at 10:30 am for service.

Ways to connect:

Church website. - <https://mtplesantchurchnc.org/join-us-live-on-facebook/>

Facebook - <https://m.facebook.com/Mt-Pleasant-Christian-Church-278082645537332/>

ORDER OF SERVICE

Call to Worship “I Sing Praises To Your Name” (v 1-2) Choir

WELCOME Greg Spain

*PRAISE & WORSHIP

“The God Who Stays” Screen

“Thank You, Lord” Screen

Communion Meditation Eugene Hyde

Communion Hymn “Jesus Paid It All” (v 1 & 3) 146

Communion

(if you wish to partake of the Lord’s Supper, please hold emblems & take in unison)

Please place your offering in the plates provided as you exit the building after the service

Prayer Requests Dan Black

Musical Offering Tomora, Stephanie, Renee & Debra - video

Morning Message “How To Be Truly Rich” John Ormond

Luke 12:21

***Hymn of Decision** “The Savior Is Waiting” (v 1 & 2) 338

*Closing Prayer

***Closing Hymn** “God Love You” Screen

Depart to Serve

** Please Stand*

PRAYER CONCERNS

- 1 Family of Carolyn Buck
- 2 Genevieve Branch - stroke
- 3 Joyce Milligan – Parkinson’s & fell & broke hip
- 4 William Stancill – Covid
- 5 Jeff Harris – Covid
- 6 Helen Keel – Covid
- 7 Barbara Parker – cataract surgery
- 8 Savanna Elkins – recovering from knee surgery
- 9 Betty Kinney – pulmonary embolism
- 10 Wayne Pryor – Covid 19
- 11 James Clark – at Vidant with Covid pneumonia
- 12 Edna Wade – recovering from knee replacement surgery
- 13 Jewell Whitehurst – in short boot; still non-weight bearing on broken foot for a few more weeks
- 14 Candy Griffin – cancer on tongue/upcoming surgery
- 15 Myrtle Teel – cancer
- 16 Glorianne Roebuck & family – Covid 19
- 17 Shirley Buck
- 18 Michelle Maue
- 19 Matt Davis – recovering from brain cancer surgery
- 20 Ralph Yeager – therapy & recovering @ home from stroke
- 21 Helen Yeager – recovering @ home from brain bleed (walking & doing better each week)
- 22 Rosa Johnson – on respirator after heart surgery
- 23 Katie McKinney – stroke
- 24 Shirley Harrell – started radiation on 1/07
- 25 Bobby Bright – heart complications
- 26 Marie Bright - asthma
- 27 Brandy Duke – cancer has returned
- 28 Robby Stallings – cancer in kidney returned
- 29 Kourtney Stallings
- 30 Erin Askew – back issues, surgery
- 31 Jennie Bright Singleton – brain tumor – starting steroids
- 32 Shelby Rogister – home taking physical therapy
- 33 Grant Parker – stroke
- 34 Buddy Teel – reduced pain
- 35 Kim Moulden – cancer in remission
- 36 Russell Tyson – prostate cancer
- 37 Mike Manning – stomach cancer
- 38 Lisa Manning – bone cancer (just recovering from breast cancer)
- 39 Sandy McLawhorn – surgery due to diverticulitis
- 40 David Lord – lymphoma
- 41 Richie Walls – now on dialysis
- 42 Donna Simmons – recovering; declared legally blind

PRAYER CONCERNS cont’d

- 43 Carol Johnson – lung cancer
- 44 Nicholas Conger – recovering at home – still needs prayers
- 45 Fred Daniels – fused vertebrae in back
- 46 Ellis Powell – continuing cancer treatment
- 47 Mike Rees – cancer spread to pancreas; starting clinical trial
- 48 Tony Sexton – cancer is terminal; in lots of pain
- 49 Michelle Little – recovering from stroke
- 50 Jerri Nethercutt – brain tumor

UPDATES & ADDITIONS

<u>LOVE & SUPPORT</u>		
Jayne Mayhew	Carrie Elmore	Myrna Rogerson
Guy Smith	Scott O’Neal	Andy McKinney
Dawn Johnson	Connie Herring	Nancy Smith
Sarah Glasgow	Ethel Grady	Glynn Bright
Savanna Grace Bailey	Tina Nobles	LB Garris
Linwood Adams		
<u>On-Going Prayers For</u>		
Our Church Leaders	Our Church Family	Our Youth Ministry
Our Music Ministry	Our Country	Our Military Forces

PRAY ON IT

PRAY OVER IT

PRAY THROUGH IT

Absentee Ballot Completion

(To be given to person requesting absentee ballot)

1. Complete ballot. Ballot can be completed and returned immediately after receiving it or it can be returned at a later date prior to deadline to the designated person only. Only one ballot per set of envelopes. Place completed ballot inside the small envelope and seal it. **DO NOT WRITE ANYTHING ON THE SMALL ENVELOPE!**
2. Place small envelope (sealed) inside the larger envelope which is considered the outside envelope.
3. Seal outside envelope and write your name on it.
4. Return envelope to designated person at least 6 hours prior to the voting.

Please note: Once the absentee ballot is returned to the designated person, the absentee ballot will be the only vote for the eligible member. No absentee ballot will be accepted after the designated deadline.