



A new class for parents interested in reaching their child's heart with the virtue and value that flow from the character of Jesus. Teaching is practical and you will be able to glean some valuable pointers in creating a healthy home and marriage.

Class begins Wednesday

January 26, 2011

6:30 pm - 7:45 pm
(this is an 18 week course!)

Participant books are \$18

The class is a DVD study with some great discussion questions to follow.

Sign up at the Welcome Center today or
see Mike & Amy Lintz (810.341.3623) or
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GROWING KIDS GOD'S WAY

HOW TO HELP CHILDREN LIVE OUT THE CHARACTER OF GOD IN THEIR LIVES
HOW TO FOSTER INSECURE CHILDREN AND FIX PROBLEMS THAT NOW EXIST
HOW TO SAY "I LOVE YOU" SO THAT EACH FAMILY MEMBER SENSES TRUE LOVE
HOW TO BUILD TRUST AND CONFIDENCE IN KIDS FOR PARENTAL LEADERSHIP
HOW TO BUILD FAMILY LOYALTY AND IDENTITY
HOW TO RAISE A CHILD WITH MORAL SENSIBILITY
HOW TO SUCCESSFULLY HANDLE SIBLING CONFLICT & TEMPER TANTRUMS
HOW TO INSTILL THE VIRTUE OF PERSONAL SELF-CONTROL
AND MORE!!!



January 9, 2011 | Pastor Terry Bate

Start thinking ...

In general, how would you rate church in your life?

As a child, was it [positive ... negative] [exciting ... boring]
How often do you think about church [daily ... weekly ... rarely]
Is church a [choice ... duty] [valuable ... purgatory]

Notes from Matthew 16 (Peter's confession of Jesus)

**"But what about YOU?
Who do YOU say I am?"**



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[Engage the message throughout the week]

Monday: 1.10.2011

Passage: Matthew 16:13-20

We begin our week reflecting on a passage we used in our worship service yesterday. How do you think that Peter felt after responding to Jesus' question? Remember that that for tomorrow.

Email or text Pastor Terry today a thought about the current state of the church in general. Not our church specifically ... but the general Christian church. From your vantage point, how is it reflecting the heart of Jesus to the world?

Pray for: *our church leadership*

Reflections: _____

Tuesday: 1.11.2011

Passage: Matthew 16:21-28

Just moments after getting a question right, Peter takes the Lord aside and tells him that he can't allow Jesus to die. From the "rock" to "satan" ... Jesus calls Peter out and says you aren't comprehending the Kingdom of God. It's upside down from what you think you know.

Email or text Pastor Terry today the most important thing the church should be striving for. In your opinion, what should we set our sites on and be working toward achieving?

Pray for: *Our Trustees Meeting tonight*

Reflections: _____

Wednesday: 1.12.2011

Passage: Luke 21:5-9

Jesus walks into the temple and the disciples are star struck by the amazing things there. The temple was beautifully adorned with gold and wonderful stones. I imagine they were in awe of what they were seeing. Then Jesus told them that not one stone would be left standing ... soon, all of this would be destroyed.

Too often we can get caught up in the "stuff" of church but I wonder what will last the test of time. Text or email Pastor Terry what you hope your legacy will be.

Pray for: *Our Youth Ministry and Youth Pastor search process*

Reflections: _____

Thursday: 1.13.2011

Passage: Acts 2:42-47

Not long after Jesus left his disciples, the Holy Spirit came and dwelt with the first Christian pilgrims. That Spirit guided them in all things and helped them live at peace with each other and with others in their community. That Spirit also helped their numbers increase, those who were being saved.

Make a goal of the new year having more fellowship time this year. Spending time with other believers can really encourage your journey. Now that you have a goal, make some calls and get some dates on the calendar!

Pray for: *Friends facing job loss*

Reflections: _____

Friday: 1.14.2011

Passage: Matthew 21:28-32

A tale of two sons. One says he'll obey but never gets around to it. The other gives his father fits at the request, but goes out to the vineyard anyway. The church is a goofy thing because it exists as much for those outside of it's walls as it does for those already inside. The question we must all wrestle with is this ... "Are we being obedient to the Word of the Lord?"

Pray for: *First Upward Game Day tomorrow!*

Reflections: _____

Reflections on this week: _____

