

#2 - Does anything external satisfy you?  
A hunger for righteousness will be satisfied with \_\_\_\_\_ else.

#3 - Do you have a great \_\_\_\_\_ for the Word of God?

I have never seen anybody beg a hungry man to eat.

#4 - Are the things of God \_\_\_\_\_ to you?  
If you are hungering and thirsting for righteousness when God brings devastation in your life, you are filled and satisfied because you know it is God, even though it is painful.

To the hungry soul, every bitter thing is sweet because God is in it, and God is working His purposes, and God is making us more righteous.

#5 – Is your hunger or thirst \_\_\_\_\_?  
A hungry man does not want food and a new suit. A thirsty man does not want food and a new pair of shoes.

How successful were you in responding to these questions?

Thirst now, beloved, and be filled.

Other scriptures cited: James 2:16; Ps. 107:9, 34:10, 23:1, 5; Jer. 31:14;  
John 4:14, 6:35; Rom. 7; Jer. 15:16; Prov. 27:7; Ps. 119:20; Isa. 26:9;  
Luke 16:24

If you have a counseling need or just wish to speak with the pastor, please feel free to call at any time. Contact the Church @ 520-586-2337, Pastor's cell phone is 575-799-6149 or his email: [nlteachpreach@gmail.com](mailto:nlteachpreach@gmail.com)



*“Be transformed by the renewing of your mind that you may prove what that good acceptable and perfect will of God is.” Romans 12:2*

The goal of our instruction is love from a pure heart and the promotion of His truth.

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## **Fellowship of Worship**

**4 May 2025**

**Matthew Lesson 22**

**The Sermon on the Mount**

**“Happy are the Hungry”**

**Matthew 5:6-10**

## **Elders**

Steve Medeiros Mike Cox Roger Choate  
Ron Graves Tom Van Wart John Peralta

Our lessons can be heard for your convenience on our website [www.newlifebenson.com](http://www.newlifebenson.com), through our app which is available to download via our website and are also available for viewing via YouTube.

**Lord's Day: 9:00 AM** - Bible Study [to include children's classes]

Sister Renee Cox – “Amos”

Brother Bob Medeiros – “For I Am with You-Do Not Fear”

**10:30 AM** - “Fellowship of Worship”

Elder Medeiros – Gospel of Matthew, “Sermon on the Mount”

**6:30 PM** – “Family Bible Hour” - Elder Medeiros –  
“The Past & Future Invasion of the Demons”

**Tuesday**

**10 AM** - Prayer Meeting

**12:00 PM & 5:00 PM** – AA Meetings

**Wednesday**

**10:00 AM** Women's Interdenominational Bible Study

**6:30 PM** 1 John - Elder Medeiros

**Friday:**

**12:00 PM** - AA Meeting

### **Events This Week**

**Fundamentals of Faith**-today after AM message

**\*\*No Prayer Shawl Meeting this month**

**NLOT (New Life Outreach Team)**-Fri., May 9<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM

**Breakfast for the New Life Ladies**-Sat., May 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:30AM

**\*\*Ladies-you must sign up no later than today in foyer!**

### **Order of Service:**

Welcome/Opening prayer – Elder John Peralta

Call to Worship!

Music

Message

A Call to Follow Christ

Closing Prayer – Elder Mike Cox

Departing Song

### **New Life Family Worship Center's Vision and Mission Statements:**

New Life Family Worship Center desires to be a thoroughly biblical church that seeks God's presence and leadership. To that end, we are committed to proclaiming God's perfect law and His glorious gospel of grace in Jesus Christ throughout the world, and to "...contend earnestly for the faith which was once delivered to the saints" (Jude 3). "Therefore, whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do all to the glory of God." (1 Cor. 10:31).

In response to God's grace and love toward us, the mission of this congregation is to glorify the God of the Scriptures by promoting His worship, sharing His Word evangelistically, belonging to a God-centered fellowship which encourages us to grow spiritually while serving Him, and acting with love and compassion toward those in need. (Matt. 22:37-40; 28:16-20).

So far, we have seen how this Beatitude fits where it is placed, what it means to hunger and thirst and the object of those desires - righteousness. And that leaves us with the \_\_\_\_\_.

You hunger and thirst and you are filled, but never really satisfied.

As Christians, when we seek God's righteousness, He grants it.

He just fills us up.

Jesus satisfies. And yet there is a blessed \_\_\_\_\_ that even wants even more and more and more and will only be satisfied when we see Jesus Christ.

How do we know if we are really hungering and thirsting after righteousness?

**#1 - Are you dissatisfied with yourself?**

If there is in us any sense of satisfaction, we might wonder whether we know what it is to hunger and thirst after righteousness.