And remember when you become a peacemaker, the world isn't going to accept that, and so immediately, verse 10 says, "Blessed are those who are" – what? – "persecuted for" – what's sake? – "righteousness' sake."

If you have righteousness, holiness, and purity in your marriage and your home, you'll have peace in your home.

It's wonderful to see how God can use the humblest people to be the peacemakers.

The truth of real peacemaking is not that we want conflict. It is that to bring true peace, we will go right through the very hottest conflict and suffer whatever need be suffered.

Peace is not to be found in our circumstances. The problem is in our innate sinfulness.

Do you want peace today?

Other scriptures cited: Jer. 17:9; Isa. 48:22, 57:21; Jer. 8:11; Mark 7:20-23; James 3:18; Matt. 5:3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10

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:

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"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** 

24 August 2025

**Matthew Lesson 36** 

The Sermon on the Mount

"Happy are the Peacemakers"

Matthew 5:9

<u>Elders</u>

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, 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 – "Parables of Jesus"

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"

<u>6:30 PM</u> – "Family Bible Hour" - Elder Medeiros – "The Judgment of the Believers' Works"

<u>Tuesday</u>

10 AM - Prayer Meeting 12:00 PM & 5:00 PM - AA Meetings Wednesday

6:30 PM 1 John - Elder Medeiros Friday: 12:00 PM - AA Meeting

## **Events This Week**

<u>Fundamentals of Faith</u>-today after AM message <u>NLOT (New Life Outreach Team)</u>-Fri., Aug. 29<sup>th</sup> at 9:00AM

## **Order of Service:**

Welcome/Opening prayer – Elder Mike Cox
Call to Worship!
Music
Message
A Call to Follow Christ
Closing Prayer – Elder Roger Choate
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).

The reason there's no peace in the world is because of two things: the opposition of Satan and the disobedience of men.

It's a cop-out to not say anything about what a son or daughter is doing, or what our husband or wife is doing, or what our friends are doing, just to keep the peace.

First, the meaning/definition of peace is resolving conflict by the truth, bringing to bear the righteousness of God.

Secondly, the	to peace, that is, what
hinders peace is obvious. It is	
True peacemaker	s sow righteous .

This takes us all the way back to the beginning of the Beatitudes, because you can't be a peacemaker unless you follow the first six, unless you've dealt with sin in your life.