And I really don't think that it's going to get any easier.

There are four great truths that you need to hang onto here. First, the presupposition, then the plan, then the problem, and then the purpose.

And we are to be a preservative; we are an antiseptic in the world to retard the spread of its corruption.

Salt is the influence of Christian character. It is quiet, but powerful. Light is the communication of the content of the \_\_\_\_\_\_.

We have to turn on the light of the gospel to transform that corruption into incorruption.

Ever and always, beloved, those two things go together: the \_\_\_\_\_ and the \_\_\_\_\_.

God is light, and the Word of God is light, and Christ is the light that we are to shine on the world.

Other scriptures cited: Matt. 9:37; Matt. 5, 5:10-11; Acts 1:1; Ps. 36:9; 1 John 1:5; John 8:12

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** 

7 December 2025

**Matthew Lesson 49** 

**The Sermon on the Mount** 

"Turn on Your Light, Please"

Matthew 5:14-16

## <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"

6:30 PM - "Family Bible Hour" - Elder Medeiros 
"His Kingdom Will Come"

Tuesday

10 AM - Prayer Meeting
12:00 PM & 5:00 PM - AA Meetings
Wednesday
5:30 PM - New Life Kids

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New Life Students - Elder John Peralta
6:30 PM 1 John - Elder Medeiros
Friday:
12:00 PM - AA Meeting

## **Events This Week**

Fundamentals of Faith-today after AM message

NLOT (New Life Outreach Team)-Fri., Dec. 12<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM

Men's Breakfast-Sat., Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> at 7:30AM

Kids Praise Team-Dress Rehearsal for Christmas Program

Sat., Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:00AM in sanctuary

NL Women's Fellowship-Sat., Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 AM

Ornament Exchange-Sign up in the foyer

Kids' Praise Team Christmas Presentation
Sun., Dec. 14<sup>th</sup> during AM message at 10:30AM

OCC Online Boxes-Deadline Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>

Go to website at newlifebenson.com/events

## **Order of Service:**

Welcome/Opening prayer – Elder Ron Graves
Call to Worship!
Music
Message
A Call to Follow Christ
Closing Prayer – Elder Tom Van Wart
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).

"O God, if we had only joined hands sooner."

There's a world of lost men, there's a world of lost women, there's a world of lost boys and girls, way out in the field of the world, and they can't find their home, they can't find the Father's house, they can't see above the wheat of the world, and they're perishing in the night of sin; and when the cold morning dawns, it'll be too late...

Join hands and be salt and light.

Jesus is calling on us to influence the world for His glory, to find the lost before it's too late.	
The	described in the Beatitudes
makes it	possible for us to affect the world.
And the Lo	rd is saying that that's something we
	have to do.

I think God wants us to confront the world.