

He did not come to destroy the law.

The new covenant did not throw away the old covenant; it did not annul everything. The Law was not set aside - it was fulfilled.

Reason number one for this is that the Law is \_\_\_\_\_ by God.

The Law of God is not some kind of a changing mode of human opinion designed to fit the whims of every society.

When the Jews used the word “Law” in Jesus’ time – they usually had one of four things in mind: the \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_, the \_\_\_\_\_, or the \_\_\_\_\_.

Jesus put it right in Matthew 15:3 and 9 when He said they had substituted the traditions of men for the Law of God.

Other scriptures cited: Jer. 31:31;

Matt. 6:1, 5, 16, 15:1, 7-8, 16:1, 3, 22:18, 23:13-15, 25, 27, 29; 2 Cor. 5; Rom 14:20; Acts 5:38; Ex. 20:1-3; Mal. 3:6; Matt. 15:3, 9

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**

**18 January 2026**

**Matthew Lesson 53**

**The Sermon on the Mount**

**“Christ and The Law”**

**Matthew 5:17-20**

## **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 – “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 – “Judgment Will Come to the Nations”**

**Tuesday**

**10 AM - Prayer Meeting**

**12:00 PM & 5:00 PM – AA Meetings**

**Wednesday**

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

**5:30 PM – New Life Kids**

**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**

**Elders Meeting-Mon. Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> at 6PM**

**New Life Kids Theme Night-Neon Night, Wed. Jan. 21<sup>st</sup> at 5:30PM**

**We Care Pregnancy Center Baby Clothes Give Away-**

**Fri., Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 8:30-11:30AM (143 S. Quarterhorse Ave.)**

**NLOT (New Life Outreach Team)-Fri., Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> at 10:00AM**

**Order of Service:**

**Welcome/Opening prayer – Elder Tom Van Wart**

**Call to Worship!**

**Music**

**Message**

**A Call to Follow Christ**

**Closing Prayer – Elder John Peralta**

**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 key to a righteous life is keeping the Word of God.**

**The rabbis had so perverted the Old Testament, that Jesus must raise the standard back up to where God put it in the first place.**

**Jesus says these four things about the Law: the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Law, the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Law, the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Law, and the \_\_\_\_\_ of the Law.**

**The preeminence of the Law:  
The Word of God is absolutely preeminent, first-place, unequaled.**

**Many of the Jews expected the Messiah to annul the Law.**

**But, in no way was Jesus revolting against the Old Testament.**

**Anybody who does not live by God's standards, and substitutes a manmade system is a spiritual phony.**