

February 7, 2021 Guest Pastor: Matt Hemphill

In God We Trust Hebrews 13:5-6

5 Keep your lives free from the love of money and be content with what you have, because God has said,

"Never will I leave you;

never will I forsake you."

6 So we say with confidence,

"The Lord is my helper; I will not be afraid.

What can mere mortals do to me?"

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About Today's Guest:

Matt is the Pastor of New Life Church that meets in Tustin. He is married to Erin Hemphill and has two beautiful daughters Jameson and Georgia. Matt and Erin both grew up at Calvary and are thrilled to be back at "home" this week!

DIGGING DEEPER HEBREWS 13:5-6

Preparation If possible, find a quiet and comfortable place. Rid yourself of distractions such as your phone, television, school work, interruptions from others, etc. Open yourself to God and intend to learn from Him. "Lord, here I am, I present myself to You. Open my heart to the truth of what is going on in my life."

2 Read the Text: Read *Hebrews* 13:5-6 a few times until you have a clear understanding of the passage.

Contemplate + Journal Spend time thinking about and journaling your thoughts to the following questions. If you meet with a LifeGroup, you can also share your responses with them and have a great discussion.

- What is a word or phrase the Lord impressed on you in this time? Meditate on that.
- Ask the Lord, "Lord, what is my view of money? Do I find security in money? What do you want to say to me about this?"
- Ask the Lord, "Lord do I try to satisfy areas of my life, perhaps holes in my heart with money? Lord, how can I turn to you instead of money?"
- How and what do you feel? Is there a specific situation in your life that relates to this passage today? Pray through this for a moment.

Praise + Worship Worship is an act or mindset shift that realigns us to the reality of who God is. Find this song on Spotify, YouTube, AppleMusic, etc. and the lyrics if you would like to read or sing along. Make this song your prayer and declaration of praise and worship as you hear truths being sung over you. Allow the Lord to minister to your heart in this time. Song Recommendation: "King of My Heart" by Bethel Music

Closing Prayer Spend some time in prayer. Whether it is simply sitting in God's loving presence, expressing thankfulness and gratitude, and/or offering up supplication, pray what is on your heart.

Blessing May you look to our Lord Jesus to be your source of joy and fulfillment in life, abiding in him daily, and trusting his good will for your life.

Your Response Today: Do you want to take a next step in your faith, ask for prayer, or learn more about following Jesus? Take a moment to fill out our online connection card by texting "Card" to 970-00

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