

**Blessed Are the Merciful, for They Shall
Be Shown Mercy and Receive Mercy**

Monday 3/9

Eph. 2:4

4 But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,

Matt. 9:13

13 But go and learn what this means, "I desire mercy and not sacrifice," for I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners.

Matt. 5:7

7 Blessed are the merciful, for they shall be shown mercy.

Psa. 67:1

1 God be gracious to us and bless us; May He make His face to shine upon us; Selah

Luke 1:78-79

78 Because of the merciful compassions of our God, in which the rising sun will visit us from on high,

79 To shine upon those sitting in darkness and in the shadow of death, to guide our feet into the way of peace.

Luke 15:20-24

20 And he rose up and came to his own father. But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was moved with compassion, and he ran and fell on his neck and kissed him affectionately.

21 And the son said to him, Father, I have sinned against heaven and before you; I am no longer worthy to be called your son.

22 But the father said to his slaves, Bring out quickly the best robe and put it on him, and put a ring on his hand and sandals on his feet.

23 And bring the fattened calf; slaughter it, and let us eat and be merry,

24 Because this son of mine was dead and lives again; he was lost and has been found. And they began to be merry.

HWMR: Crucial Aspects of Matthew 5 Through 7 - Week 4., Day 1

Tuesday 3/10

Rom. 9:15-16, 23

15 For to Moses He says, "I will have mercy on whomever I will have mercy, and I will have compassion on whomever I will have compassion."

16 So then it is not of him who wills, nor of him who runs, but of God who shows mercy.

23 In order that He might make known the riches of His glory upon vessels of mercy, which He had before prepared unto glory,

Eph. 2:3-6

3 Among whom we also all conducted ourselves once in the lusts of our flesh, doing the desires of the flesh and of the thoughts, and were by nature children of wrath, even as the rest;

4 But God, being rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us,

5 Even when we were dead in offenses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved)

6 And raised us up together with Him and seated us together with Him in the heavenlies in Christ Jesus,

Isa. 55:6

6 Seek Jehovah while He may be found; Call upon Him while He is near.

Jer. 29:13

13 And you will seek Me and find Me if you search for Me with all your heart;

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Wednesday 3/11

Rom. 9:18, 23

18 So then He has mercy on whom He wills, and He hardens whom He wills.

23 In order that He might make known the riches of His glory upon vessels of mercy, which He had before prepared unto glory,

Eph. 1:4-5, 17-18

4 Even as He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world to be holy and without blemish before Him in love,

5 Predestinating us unto sonship through Jesus Christ to Himself, according to the good pleasure of His will,

17 That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give to you a spirit of wisdom and revelation in the full knowledge of Him,

18 The eyes of your heart having been enlightened, that you may know what is the hope of His calling, and what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,

Rom. 11:33-36

33 O the depth of the riches and wisdom and knowledge of God! How unsearchable are His judgments and untraceable His ways!

34 For who has known the mind of the Lord, or who has become His counselor?

35 Or who has first given to Him, and it will be repaid to him?

36 Because out from Him and through Him and to Him are all things. To Him be the glory forever. Amen.

HWMR: Crucial Aspects of Matthew 5 Through 7 - Week 4, Day 3

Thursday 3/12

Heb. 2:17

17 Hence He should have been made like His brothers in all things that He might become a merciful and faithful High Priest in the things pertaining to God, to make propitiation for the sins of the people.

Heb. 4:15-16

15 For we do not have a High Priest who cannot be touched with the feeling of our weaknesses, but One who has been tempted in all respects like us, yet without sin.

16 Let us therefore come forward with boldness to the throne of grace that we may receive mercy and find grace for timely help.

Mark 10:46-52 (48)

46 And they came to Jericho. And as He was going out from Jericho, as well as His disciples and a large crowd, the son of Timaeus, Bartimaeus, a blind beggar, sat by the road.

47 And when he heard that it was Jesus the Nazarene, he began to cry out and say, Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!

48 And many rebuked him so that he would be

silent, but he cried out much more, Son of David, have mercy on me!

49 And Jesus, standing still, said, Call him here. And they called the blind man, saying to him, Take courage. Rise. He is calling you.

50 And throwing his garment aside, he leaped up and came to Jesus.

51 And Jesus answered him and said, What do you want Me to do for you? And the blind man said to Him, Rabboni, that I may receive my sight!

52 And Jesus said to him, Go; your faith has healed you. And immediately he received his sight and followed Him on the road.

HWMR: *Crucial Aspects of Matthew 5 Through 7 - Week 4, Day 4*

Friday 3/13

Matt. 5:7
See Monday

2 Tim. 1:16-18

16 May the Lord grant mercy to the house of Onesiphorus, for he often refreshed me and was not ashamed of my chain;

17 But being in Rome, he sought me out diligently and found me.

18 May the Lord grant him to find mercy from the Lord in that day. And in how many things he served me in Ephesus, you know best.

Matt. 7:12

12 Therefore all that you wish men would do to you, so also you do to them; for this is the law and the prophets.

Luke 10:30, 33-37 (33-34)

30 Jesus, taking up the question, said, A certain man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who having both stripped him and beat him, went away, leaving him half dead.

33 But a certain Samaritan, who was journeying, came upon him; and when he saw him, he was moved with compassion;

34 And he came to him and bound up his wounds and poured oil and wine on them. And placing him on his own beast, he brought him to an inn and took care of him.

35 And on the next day he took out two denarii

and gave them to the innkeeper and said, Take care of him; and whatever you spend in addition to this, when I return, I will repay you.

36 Which of these three, does it seem to you, has become a neighbor to him who fell into the hands of the robbers?

37 And he said, The one who showed mercy to him. And Jesus said to him, Go, and you do likewise.

HWMR: *Crucial Aspects of Matthew 5 Through 7 - Week 4, Day 5*

Saturday 3/14

2 Tim. 1:2

2 To Timothy, beloved child: Grace, mercy, peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

James 2:12-13

12 So speak and so do as those who are to be judged by the law of freedom.

13 For the judgment is without mercy to him who has shown no mercy; mercy triumphs over judgment.

Rom. 14:10

10 But you, why do you judge your brother? Or you, why do you despise your brother? For we will all stand before the judgment seat of God,

Phil. 2:12-15

12 So then, my beloved, even as you have always obeyed, not as in my presence only but now much rather in my absence, work out your own salvation with fear and trembling;

13 For it is God who operates in you both the willing and the working for His good pleasure.

14 Do all things without murmurings and reasonings

15 That you may be blameless and guileless, children of God without blemish in the midst of a crooked and perverted generation, among whom you shine as luminaries in the world,

Titus 3:4-6

4 But when the kindness and the love to man of our Savior God appeared,

5 Not out of works in righteousness which we did but according to His mercy He saved us, through the washing of regeneration and the renewing of the Holy Spirit,

6 Whom He poured out upon us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior,

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Lord's Day 3/15

Psa. 145:1-4, 7-10

1 I will extol You, O my God and King; And I will bless Your name forever and ever.

2 Every day I will bless You, And I will praise Your name forever and ever.

3 Great is Jehovah, and much to be praised; And His greatness is unsearchable.

4 One generation will laud Your works to another, And they will declare Your mighty acts.

7 They will utter the memory of Your great goodness And will sing for joy of Your righteousness.

8 Jehovah is gracious and compassionate, Long-suffering and great in lovingkindness.

9 Jehovah is good to all, And His compassions are upon all His works.

10 All Your works will praise You, O Jehovah; And Your faithful ones will bless You.

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Further Reading

CWWN, vol. 57, "The Resumption of Watchman Nee's Ministry," ch. 1

Churchwide Truth Pursuit of Genesis

Level 1—Sequential Life-study Reading

Scripture Reading and Copying: *Gen. 42:1-28*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Genesis, msg(s).101-102*

Level 2—Topical Study

Crucial Point: *Joseph Dealing with His Brothers*

Scripture: *Gen. 42-45*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Genesis, msg(s). 116-119*

Supplemental Reading: *N/A*

Study Questions: *See the church website at churchinnyc.org/bible-study*