

## ANNOUNCEMENTS:

**Tables Groups: 04/20** Interested in serving at the church, come and join us 9:30am

Don't forget that Table Groups have started back up. Please visit [mesaplacechurch.com](http://mesaplacechurch.com) for the entire listing and to get yourself plugged in.

## GIVING IS WORSHIP:

**Giving back to the One who First Gave. 2 Corinthians 9:7** | We have offering envelopes in the chair pocket in front of you and in the back of the sanctuary. You may also text "GIVE" to (915) 223-MESA (6372) or click on "Give Online" at [mesaplacechurch.com](http://mesaplacechurch.com). We thank you in advance for your faithful giving. You make a difference in this ministry. If you are visiting us today, please don't feel obligated to participate.

## NEOS NEWS

**Camp:** Student Life

**Dates:** July 14th-20th

**Deposit:** deposit will be \$300

See Ben for details.

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

**04/15** Transformation: Becoming more Christ-like Home Group

| 6:30pm

**04/16** Letter to the church Home Group

| 6:30pm

**04/16** Men's Bible Study

| 6:30pm

**04/17** Book Of John

6:30pm—Childcare will be provided:

Nursery up to 5 years old, Children's church 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade

**4/17** - Neos

| 6:30pm

**04/17** Women's Prayer Group

| 6:30pm

**04/18** Faith Foundations

| 6:30pm

**04/19** Women's Bible Study

| 9:30am

**04/20** Men's Prayer at the cross

| 8:00am

**04/20** (Experiencing God) 12-week study

| 10am

**04/24** No Neos - Ben's Preaching

| 6:30pm

**04/27** Hungry for God: Basics of Fasting

| 9:30am— Café area



**WELCOME!**  
**THERE IS ALWAYS ROOM AT THE TABLE**

APRIL 14, 2024



**Today's Message:** Why Is Loving Christ So Important?

**Next Sundays Message:** Don't Quench The Spirit.

### A NOTE TO OUR GUESTS:

We are so happy to see you here today! If you would like more information about who we are, please visit us at [mesaplacechurch.com](http://mesaplacechurch.com). Please also be sure to stop by the connection counter to see Marie who has something special for you. She's available to answer any questions you might have.



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**John 14:15-21 NLT** <sup>15</sup> “If you love me, obey my commandments. <sup>16</sup> And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, who will never leave you. <sup>17</sup> He is the Holy Spirit, who leads into all truth. The world cannot receive him, because it isn’t looking for him and doesn’t recognize him. But you know him, because he lives with you now and later will be in you. <sup>18</sup> No, I will not abandon you as orphans—I will come to you. <sup>19</sup> Soon the world will no longer see me, but you will see me. Since I live, you also will live. <sup>20</sup> When I am raised to life again, you will know that I am in my Father, and you are in me, and I am in you <sup>21</sup>—Those who accept my commandments and obey them are the ones who love me. And because they love me, my Father will love them. And I will love them and reveal myself to each of them.”

1<sup>st</sup> The \_\_\_\_\_ of obedience.

**Matt21:28-30 NLT** <sup>28</sup> “But what do you think about this? A man with two sons told the older boy, ‘Son, go out and work in the vineyard today.’ <sup>29</sup> The son answered, ‘No, I won’t go,’ but later he changed his mind and went anyway. <sup>30</sup> Then the father told the other son, ‘You go,’ and he said, ‘Yes, sir, I will.’ But he didn’t go.

2<sup>nd</sup> The \_\_\_\_\_ of obedience.

3<sup>rd</sup> Obedience has \_\_\_\_\_.

**Heb11:6 NLT** <sup>6</sup> And it is impossible to please God without faith. Anyone who wants to come to him must believe that God exists and that he rewards those who sincerely seek him.

1<sup>st</sup> He will \_\_\_\_\_ Himself to those that love Him.

**Col4:2-4 NASB** <sup>2</sup> Devote yourselves to prayer, keeping alert in it with an attitude of thanksgiving; <sup>3</sup> praying at the same time for us as well, that God will open up to us a door for the word, so that we may proclaim the mystery of Christ, for which I have also been imprisoned; <sup>4</sup> that I may make it clear in the way that I ought to proclaim it.

2<sup>nd</sup> He will reveal His \_\_\_\_\_.

**John 14:26 NLT** <sup>26</sup> But when the Father sends the Advocate as my representative—that is, the Holy Spirit—he will teach you everything and will remind you of everything I have told you.

**John 16:13-14 NLT** <sup>13</sup> When the Spirit of truth comes, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own but will tell you what he has heard. He will tell you about the future. <sup>14</sup> He will bring me glory by telling you whatever he receives from me.

3<sup>rd</sup> He will reveal His \_\_\_\_\_.

**Romans5:2-5 NLT** <sup>2</sup> Because of our faith, Christ has brought us into this place of undeserved privilege where we now stand, and we confidently and joyfully look forward to sharing God’s glory. <sup>3</sup> We can rejoice, too, when we run into problems and trials, for we know that they help us develop endurance. <sup>4</sup> And endurance develops strength of character, and character strengthens our confident hope of salvation. <sup>5</sup> And this hope will not lead to disappointment. For we know how dearly God loves us, because he has given us the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts with his love.

**Col3:16 NLT** <sup>16</sup> Let the message about Christ, in all its richness, fill your lives. Teach and counsel each other with all the wisdom he gives. Sing psalms and hymns and spiritual songs to God with thankful hearts.