

Tithes and Offerings



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CHURCH OF  THE NAZARENE



Order of Worship

22 October 2023

Twenty-First Sunday of Ordinary Time

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome

Worship in Song

Call to Worship

We Listen to the Word

Prayer

Kids Song

Sermon Series: Like A Child

Sermon: "Growing Up and Back"

We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration

The Lord's Prayer

We Eat and Drink Together

We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song

Prayer

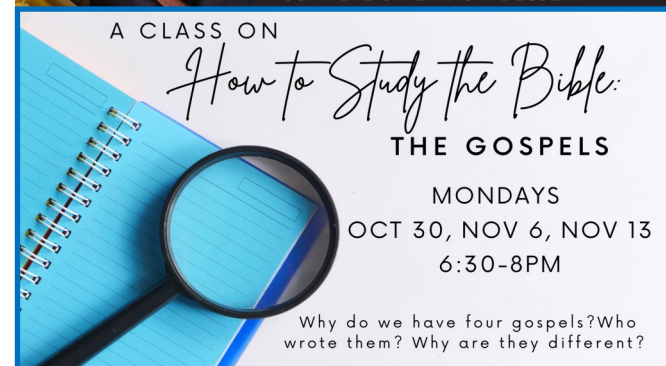
We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life/Gossiping the Good Stuff

Doxology

Blessing and Sending

*Words to music, responsive readings and
The Lord's Prayer will be on the screen*



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Doggy Bag- Some questions to chew on:



1. What did you hear God say to you through today's Scripture and message?
2. Have you ever been encouraged or discouraged from asking questions about God and things of faith? How can questions be good?
3. In your own words, what is the difference between being "childlike" and being "childish?" What are some childish tendencies you have that God is working on?
4. Which of the three "Childlike" traits is most freeing for you?
5. What is something you can do this week to remember and celebrate the small, limited child within you? (Examples: look at the stars, explore nature, play an old game, do something creative, get wet in the rain, dance at home)

NEW HERE? NEED PRAYER?

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☐ What it means to follow Jesus
☐ Connecting in my group
☐ Serving
☐ Kids & Youth Ministry
☐ Prayer Requests

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Like A Child "Growing Up and Back" Pastor Kris Beckert

What is something you miss from your childhood?

I. The Key Passage: Matthew 18

- Jesus has already told them about his upcoming suffering and _____
(Matthew 16:21-23; 17:22-23)
- Jesus has said that following him entails denying selves and taking up their _____
(Matthew 16:24-25)
- They have not understood what Jesus is saying about the Kingdom of _____

Matthew 18:1-5 At that time the disciples came to Jesus and asked, "Who, then, is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven?" ² He called a little child to him, and placed the child among them. ³ And

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he said: "Truly I tell you, unless you change and become like little children, you will never enter the kingdom of heaven. ⁴ Therefore, whoever takes the lowly position of this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven. ⁵ And whoever welcomes one such child in my name welcomes me.

- The ancient world's view of children--
- Many time, baby girls were _____
- In Greek, the pronoun used for _____ (paidion) is neuter and translated "it"

II. What "be like a child" does NOT mean:

1. Don't _____
2. Be _____

- Acting in ways that are immature and self-serving
- Being passive/false humility

1 Corinthians 14:20 Stop thinking like children. Be infants in evil, but in your thinking be mature.

3. Never _____ or _____

III. What "be like a child" means:

1. Don't expect to _____

2. Don't be surprised that you're

3. You are _____

Big Idea: _____
