Emmanuel Prayer List - May

Wellington Storehouse Foodbank - Linda Downey, President

- Give thanks for faithful donors.
- Bless the Volunteers! Plus additional people to add to the volunteer base.
- Thanks to corporations which regularly donate to the Food Bank.

Continuing needs:

- As food costs remain high, the number of people relying on food banks increases.
- Pray for and increase in finances and food donations
- Pray that regular donors can continue giving.
- Pray for clients who are struggling to meet all the needs of their families.

Study Continued

7. The woman tells the people of the town, that this man, Jesus, knew everything about her. Yet, she doesn't seem to be ashamed or feel judged. What does this say about us bringing our old life to Jesus?

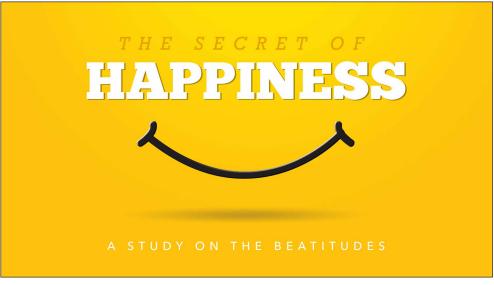
And since we are ambassadors of Christ - How should we treat others, when we know what their lives are like?

- 8. If we are going to know the fullness of God in our life, then we must give those things that are stopping us being filled, to God
- 9. Peter gave three steps to being filled (opposite). What are they?

Is there a step that you need to take?







"Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled." Matthew 5:6

The Beatitudes

- 1. Blessed are the poor in Spirit
- 2. Blessed are those who mourn
- 3. Blessed are the meek
- 4. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness
- Blessed are the merciful.
- 6. Blessed are the pure in heart
- 7. Blessed are the peacemakers
- 8. Blessed are the persecuted

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What's stopping me from being filled?
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2 Corinthians 5:21 God made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us that we might become the of God.
WE WILL BE FILLED John 10:10 The thief comes only to steal, kill and destroy, but I have come that they might have life and have it
The woman at the well John 4:1-26, 39-42
If we are going to be filled: 1 John 4:13-14
2 John 4:15-26
3 John 4:39-42
Isaiah 61:10

- 1. Read Matthew 5:1-6. What are some of the things that people hunger and thirst for in life?
- 2. We all want a life that is full. Pastor Peter used an example of filling a jar with water. But the jar had rocks in it, which limited the amount of water that could be poured into the jar. What did the rocks represent?
- 3. Define righteousness.

Read Romans 3:10, 4:3; 2 Corinthians 5:21; 2 Peter 1:3-4; Matthew 25:37-40. Now describe what it means to hunger and thirst for righteousness.

4. Read John 4:4-26. Who was this woman, what kind of life had she had?

Why do you think she came to get water in the middle of the day, when all the other women come early in the morning?

What did Jesus mean in verses 13-15?

5. What do you think Jesus talked about her husbands in verses 16-18?

Does Jesus know what issues are in your life, that are stopping you being filled with the Spirit of God?

6. In verses 19-26 the woman changed the subject to talk about the difference in religion between Samaritans and Jews. Verse 25 seems to be where the woman tries to end the conversation by basically saying, 'when the Messiah comes he'll explain everything.' Jesus tells her that he is the Messiah. What is her response? (see verses 28-30).