

**The Sermon On The Mount**  
**Shalom**  
**“Blessed Are The Peacemakers”**  
**Matthew 5:1-11**

Matthew 5:3 “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs **is the kingdom of heaven.**

Matthew 5:4 “Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.

Matthew 5:5 “Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth.

Matthew 5:6 “Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.

Matthew 5:7 “Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.

Matthew 5:8 “Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.

Matthew 5:9 “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.

Matthew 5:10 “Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness’ sake, for **theirs is the kingdom of heaven.**

**Today’s Focus:** You cannot find peace in God until you are at peace with God. The Gospel is the good news of how man can have peace with God. The message is simple and yet offensive to the world. Being a peacemaker is dangerous. It requires a deep settled peace to engage in peacemaking.

**Peace OT; Shalom:** peace, safety, prosperity, well-being; intactness, wholeness; safety which can bring feelings of satisfaction, well-being, and contentment

**Peace NT:** ”to join, tie together into a whole" – properly, wholeness, i.e. when all essential parts are joined together; peace (God's gift of wholeness).

Luke 2:14 “Glory to God in the highest, and on earth **peace among those with whom he is pleased!**”

Romans 5:1 **Therefore**, since we have been **justified by faith**, we have **peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ**.

Galatians 3:26 for **in Christ Jesus you are all sons of God, through faith**.

John 17:23 I in them and you in me, that **they** (*that's us*) may become **perfectly one**, so that the world may know that you sent me and **loved them** (*that's us*) **even as you loved me**.

Matthew 3:17 and behold, a voice from heaven said, **“This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased.”**

Matthew 5:9 “Blessed are the **peacemakers**, for they shall be called **sons of God**.

Matthew 5:10 “Blessed are those who are **persecuted for righteousness’ sake**, for **theirs is the kingdom of heaven**.

Matthew 5:11 **“Blessed** are you when others **revile you and persecute you** and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely **on my account**.

Matthew 5:12 **Rejoice and be glad**, for **your reward is great in heaven**, for so they **persecuted** the prophets who were before you.

Jeremiah 6:14 They have healed the wound of my people lightly, saying, **‘Peace, peace,’ when there is no peace**.

Jeremiah 20:2 Then Pashhur **beat Jeremiah the prophet**, and put him in the stocks that were in the upper Benjamin Gate of the house of the LORD.

Romans 5:10 For if while we were **enemies** we were **reconciled to God by the death of his Son**, much more, **now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life**.

Matthew 27:40 and saying, “You who would destroy the temple and rebuild it in three days, **save yourself! If you are the Son of God, come down from the cross.**”

John 15:18 “If the world hates you, know that it has hated me before it hated you.

John 15:19 If you were of the world, the world would love you as its own; but because **you are not of the world, but I chose you out of the world, therefore the world hates you.**

Matthew 10:16 “Behold, I am sending you out as sheep in the **midst of wolves**, so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves.

Matthew 10:17 Beware of men, **for they will deliver you over to courts and flog you in their synagogues,**

Matthew 10:18 and you will be dragged before governors and kings **for my sake**, to bear witness before them and the Gentiles.

Matthew 10:34 “Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. **I have not come to bring peace**, but a sword.

Matthew 10:35 For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law.

Matthew 10:36 And a person’s enemies will be those of his own household.

Matthew 10:37 Whoever loves father or mother **more than me** is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter **more than me** is not worthy of me.

Matthew 10:38 And whoever does not take his cross and **follow me** is not worthy of me.

Matthew 10:39 Whoever finds his life will lose it, and **whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.**

Matthew 11:28 **Come to me**, all who labor and are heavy laden, and **I will give you rest.**

Matthew 11:29 Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and **you will find rest for your souls.**

Matthew 11:30 **For my yoke is easy, and my burden is light.”**

John 14:27 **Peace I leave with you; my peace I give to you. Not as the world gives do I give to you.** Let not your hearts be troubled, neither let them be afraid.

John 16:33 I have said these things to you, **that in me you may have peace.** In the world you will have tribulation. But take heart; I have overcome the world.”

Acts 7:58 Then they cast him out of the city and stoned him. And the witnesses laid down their garments at the feet of a **young man named Saul.**

Acts 8:1 And **Saul approved of his execution.** And there arose on that day a **great persecution against the church** in Jerusalem, and they were all scattered throughout the regions of Judea and Samaria, except the apostles.

Acts 8:3 But **Saul was ravaging the church**, and **entering house after house**, he **dragged off men and women and committed them to prison.**

Acts 9:1 But **Saul, still breathing threats and murder against the disciples of the Lord**, went to the high priest

Acts 9:4 And falling to the ground he heard a voice saying to him, **“Saul, Saul, why are you persecuting me?”**

Philippians 3:3 For we are the circumcision, who worship by the Spirit of God and glory in Christ Jesus and **put no confidence in the flesh—**

Philippians 3:4 though I myself have reason for confidence in the flesh also. If anyone else thinks he has reason for confidence in the flesh, I have more:

Philippians 3:5 circumcised on the eighth day, of the people of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as to the law, a Pharisee;

Philippians 3:6 as to zeal, **a persecutor of the church**; as to righteousness under the law, blameless.

Philippians 3:7 But whatever gain I had, **I counted as loss for the sake of Christ.**

Philippians 3:8 Indeed, **I count everything as loss because of the surpassing worth of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord. For his sake I have suffered the loss of all things and count them as rubbish, in order that I may gain Christ**

Philippians 3:9 and be found in him, **not having a righteousness of my own that comes from the law**, but that which comes through faith in Christ, the righteousness from God that depends on faith—

2Corinthians 11:23 Are they servants of Christ? I am a better one—**I am talking like a madman**—with far greater labors, **far more imprisonments**, with **countless beatings**, and **often near death**.

2Corinthians 11:24 **Five times I received at the hands of the Jews the forty lashes less one.**

2Corinthians 11:25 **Three times I was beaten with rods. Once I was stoned. Three times I was shipwrecked; a night and a day I was adrift at sea;**

2Corinthians 11:26 on frequent journeys, **in danger** from rivers, **danger** from robbers, **danger** from my own people, **danger** from Gentiles, **danger** in the city, **danger** in the wilderness, **danger** at sea, **danger** from false brothers;

2Corinthians 11:27 **in toil and hardship, through many a sleepless night, in hunger and thirst, often without food, in cold and exposure.**

Philippians 4:4 **Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice.**

Philippians 4:5 Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. **The Lord is at hand;**

Philippians 4:6 **do not be anxious about anything**, but in everything by **prayer** and **supplication** with **thanksgiving** let **your requests be made known to God.**

Philippians 4:7 And the **peace of God**, which **surpasses all understanding**, will **guard your hearts** and **your minds in Christ Jesus.**

Philippians 4:8 Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things.

Philippians 4:9 What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—**practice these things**, and the **God of peace will be with you.**

Philippians 4:10 I rejoiced in the Lord greatly that now at length you have revived your concern for me. You were indeed concerned for me, but you had no opportunity.

Philippians 4:11 **Not that I am speaking of being in need, for I have learned in whatever situation I am to be content.**

Philippians 4:12 I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need.

Philippians 4:13 **I can do all things through him who strengthens me.**

Romans 8:18 For I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory that is to be revealed to us.

Matthew 5:9 “Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.