

Treasures in Heaven

Read: Matthew 6:19-24

Summary:

Please read the following summary of the preach enabling all to take part and be honest with the questions.

Jesus has been challenging His disciples on how they relate to God through giving, prayer and fasting and now He raises the bar with regard to treasures in life

We have a choice to make when following Jesus between 2 treasures, 2 conditions and 2 masters:

2 Treasures – Earth or Heaven

Jesus is not anti-treasure He just challenges where we are storing it. Our heart will be where our treasure is. We must remember that all belongs to God and that people are more important than things.

2 Conditions – Temporal or Eternal

We can focus on the here and now or store for the eternal. Men of faith in Hebrews 11 focused on what they could not see. Eternity will hold for us what this life has invested in it.

2 Masters – Money or God

We can have both God and money but cannot serve both! You can have 2 employers but not 2 masters. We must make a choice between God the Creator and money the created.

Jesus is looking for whole hearted disciples, who completely trust Him

Application:

Please select from the following questions, give everyone the opportunity to take part and make room to pray for one another.

1. Was there anything shared on Sunday that was unclear and needs clarifying for you?
2. What did God say to you on Sunday and what are you going to do as a result?
3. What do you 'value most' and so is treasure for you?
4. Why do most of us find storing on earth easier than storing in heaven and how can we overcome this?
5. What words best describes the way you approach money... a worrier, a planner, ignore it...?
6. If you won £1million pounds would that solve all your problems or just be the start?

Does anyone need to book on the money day run by Anita Ryan @ Bulstrode?
(Contact the office).

Is anyone able to help when we launch our debt advice service?