

JULY 26+27, 2025 WALKING THE NARROW PATH HOW TO LOVE MY ENEMY



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Matthew 5:43-48; Luke 6:27-31

BIG IDEA: Because Je	esus let us off	the	, He calls us to
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1. Who is my enemy?			
2. How do I love my en	nemy?		
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Monday

READ: Matthew 5:43-48

REFLECT: "Love your neighbor but hate your enemy" was a common concept in Jesus' day. This attitude saturated the Jewish culture but did not reflect the character of God. God's people are called to a different standard. The true test for Jesus-followers is how we treat those we are naturally inclined to hate.

RESPOND: Who are your "enemies?" Write them down. Ask God to help you pray for blessing upon their lives.

Tuesday

READ: Luke 6:27-36

REFLECT: Verse 27 contains three words that explain what it means to "love your enemies." Notice that Jesus doesn't tell us how to feel toward our enemies but how to act toward them. First, we are to do good to them. Second, we are to bless them instead of curse them. Third, we are to pray for them.

RESPOND: How can you do good to an enemy today? Ask God to give you wisdom and strength to do what you know you cannot do in your own power.

Wednesday

READ: 1 Timothy 2:1-4

REFLECT: We often make those in authority our enemies. Therefore, we often omit them from our prayers. However, Jesus tells us to pray for our leaders so they will have the knowledge and wisdom to rule for the common good. Additionally, because God wants all to be saved, He wants us to also pray for their salvation.

RESPOND: Pick several authorities over you (i.e., supervisor, political leader) and pray for them to demonstrate wise leadership. Pray for their salvation if they do not know Jesus.

Thursday

READ: Proverbs 24:17-18

REFLECT: This proverb is about gloating over our enemy's downfall because it involves the possibility that God will reverse His judgment and stop punishing the enemy. When reading this, we may stop our gloating in case God decides to stop punishing them. However, this proverb reminds us to fear God and place justice in His hands.

RESPOND: How can you place justice in God's hands while also not being silent or avoiding taking action toward injustices you experience?

Friday

READ: Proverbs 25:21-22

REFLECT: This proverb teaches us to love our enemies by doing good to them. The best way to "get back" at our enemy is to repay them with kindness. While our motive must be out of love, doing good to them may make them examine their posture toward us.

RESPOND: What are some acts of service you can do for your enemies? Spend time praying for enemies and ask God to give you wisdom regarding these acts of service.

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Guest Services

Stop by Guest Services in the lobby. We'd love to get acquainted, give you a welcome packet, and a gift. If you have questions, we have answers!



Intro

Join us for Intro where you'll hear Pathway's story, meet some staff, and learn about next steps. Scan the code to sign up.





EVENT

EATURED

Women's One Night: Meet Me in the Bible

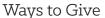
Tuesday, August 19 | 6:30pm

Jesus calls us into a life where we experience day after day the provision of God deep within our soul. He wishes to show us how rich and satisfying his Word is, and He is calling out to each of us saying, "Meet me in the Bible!"

This time together is designed to help women encounter God through His Word in deeper, more meaningful ways. Through our breakout sessions and discussion, we'll discover how Scripture speaks into our everyday lives with truth and grace.

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GROUPS

ONGOING DAYS/TIMES VARY

LIFE GROUPS

WOMEN

MONDAYS | 9am

WOMEN'S COFFEE & CONVERSATION

JUL 16 | 6pm

DINNER ON THE FARM

MISSIONS & OUTREACH

JUL 3-14

MOZAMBIQUE MISSION TRIP

JUL 12+13

FOOD PANTRY DONATION WEEKEND

(Every 2nd Sunday)

JUL 19-AUG 10

SOUTHWICK SCHOOL SUPPLY DRIVE

MARRIAGE & PARENTING

JUL 12

TRUE VINE MOM MINI-RETREAT

JUL 20 | 11am

TRUE VINE KINSHIP COFFEE

CARE & SUPPORT

MOST SUNDAYS | 7:45am Last Sunday of the month | 10:15am

SUNDAY PRAYER GATHERINGS

TUESDAYS | 7pm

CELEBRATE RECOVERY

THURSDAYS | 6:30pm

HOPE FOR THE FAMILY OF AN ADDICT

JUL 3 | 6:30pm

BREAST CANCER COMMUNITY GROUP

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JUL 24 | 6:30pm

GRIEFSHARE: LOSS OF A SPOUSE

JUL 24 | 7pm

INFERTILITY & LOSS SUPPORT

COLLEGE

ONGOING DAYS/TIMES VARY

LIFE GROUPS

Scan the code for more information on these events

JUL 31 | 8:45pm

PCC COLLEGE SUMMER WORSHIP NIGHT

STUDENTS

SUNDAYS | 9+11am No Saturday Project 5 Jul 5 thru Aug 2

PROJECT 5 (5th Grade)

JUL 6-27

Digging Deeper will resume Aug 3

NO IMPULSE: DIGGING DEEPER

WEDNESDAYS | 6:15pm

IMPULSE (Middle School)

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WEDNESDAYS | 7:30pm

IMPACT (High School)

JUL 8-13

IMPACT RAFT TRIP

JUL 9-22

IMPACT POLAND MISSION TRIP

KIDS

SUNDAYS | 9+11am No Saturday KidCity Jul 5 thru Aug 2

KIDCITY



Outdoor Baptism

GO PUBLIC WITH YOUR FAITH



SUNDAY, AUGUST 24 | 2pm

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Baptism Class (Required)
Sunday, August 10 or Sunday, August 17

Baptism is an outward expression of an inward commitment to follow Jesus Christ. After we have taken a first step toward Christ by surrendering to Him as Lord and Savior, the next step is to be baptized. It is a celebration of new life in Christ, and a public declaration of our new identity.

If you've made a decision to follow Christ and are ready to be baptized, we invite you to make a public profession of your faith at our special outdoor baptism celebration on August 24.



To sign up, scan the code or text BAPTISM to 1-833-568-5410.

Support Groups

Questions? Email care@pccfw.org.



Celebrate Recovery

Tuesdays | 7pm

CR is an ongoing support group that helps you experience peace, serenity, joy and freedom in the Lord and His healing power.



Infertility & Loss

Fourth Thursday of every month | 7pm

Infertility and Loss Support is a place to find comfort and encouragement alongside women who share a similar experience with infertility, miscarriage, or infant loss.



GriefShare

Surviving the Holidays
Thursday, November 13 | 6:30pm

Surviving the Holidays is a special GriefShare seminar designed to offer comfort, support, and practical tools to help you navigate the holidays with hope.



Trauma REBOOT

The August class is full, please join the waitlist.

This 13-week faith-based trauma healing course is for women looking to move forward from trauma and tragedy into a better future.



Hope for the Family of an Addict

Thursdays | 6:30pm

Hope for the Family of an Addict is a support group for anyone—including moms, dads, grandparents, spouses, siblings, and friends—affected by a loved one's substance use disorder.



Breast Cancer Community Group

First Thursday of every month | 6:30pm

If you are a woman navigating the complexities of breast cancer, we invite you to a place where you can find strength, comfort, hope, and community.



DivorceCare

New class starting in August Tuesdays | 6:30pm

DivorceCare is a 13-week support group led by knowledgeable and compassionate facilitators who care about you.



Military REBOOT

New class starting in August Thursdays | 6:30pm

Military REBOOT is a 13-week, faithbased, course that helps veterans, active-duty military and their families heal from service-related trauma.