

Sunday Celebration

Gathering

*Worship Songs

"Alive Again"

"Glory to God"

Joys & Prayers

Offering & Tithe

Offering Song

"What A Friend We Have In Jesus"

Scripture

Matthew 5:7-8 (NIV)

Message

Fill 'Er Up: Would You Rather...

Jack D. Cohen

*Response/Prayer Time

"Lord, I Need You"

*Closing



We hope that the worship service today has helped you know & grow closer to the Lord.
If you are visiting or have further questions & comments please fill out the Response Card
so we can connect with you.

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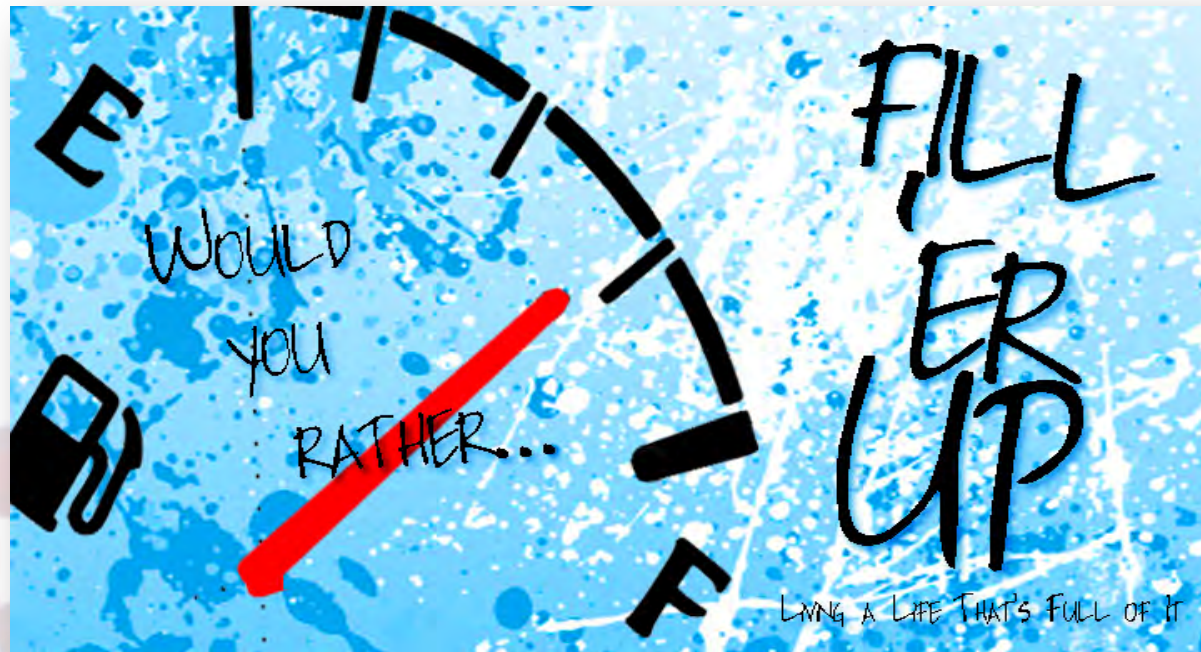
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Blessed ^{are the}merciful,
shown ^{for they will be}
mercy.

Blessed ^{are the}pure in heart,
see ^{for they will}
God. Matthew
5:7-8

"People who don't know the true character of God - who don't believe He is merciful, gracious and slow to anger - can never have a close, personal, intimate relationship with Him."

— Joyce Meyer



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WOULD YOU RATHER...

“⁸ You’re blessed when you get your inside world—your mind and heart—put right. Then you can see God in the outside world.”
– Matthew 5:8 (MSG)

I. WOULD YOU RATHER...

- Go to _____ for being a _____ person OR being a _____

“⁷ Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.”
– Matthew 5:7 (NIV84)

Two intertwined words

- G _____
 - GETTING what you do not DESERVE
- M _____
 - _____ what you _____

- Be _____ to _____

“⁷ Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.”
– Matthew 5:7 (NIV84)

- God removes the _____ of our sins & mistakes
- Many still live with the _____ of our sins & mistakes

“¹⁷ For this reason he had to be made like his brothers in every way, in order that he might become a merciful and faithful high priest in service to God, and that he might make atonement for the sins of the people. ¹⁸ Because he himself suffered when he was tempted, he is able to help those who are being tempted.”
– Hebrews 2:17-18 (NIV84)

- The “Pure in Heart” _____ clearer & better people who need _____

“⁸ Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.”
– Matthew 5:8 (NIV84)

“¹¹ When the Pharisees saw this, they asked his disciples, “Why does your teacher eat with tax collectors and ‘sinners’?” ¹² On hearing this, Jesus said, “It is not the healthy who need a doctor, but the sick. ¹³ But go and learn what this means: ‘I desire mercy, not sacrifice.’ For I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners.”
– Matthew 9:11-13 (NIV84)