

Psalm
37:4

Notes continued..

Psalm 1:1-2 "1 How happy is the one who does not walk in the advice of the wicked or stand in the pathway with sinners or sit in the company of mockers! 2 Instead, his delight is in the Lord's instruction, and he meditates on it day and night."

Psalm 34:8 "Taste and see that the Lord is good. How happy is the person who takes refuge in him!"

Psalm 112:1 "Hallelujah! Happy is the person who fears the Lord, taking great delight in his commands."

3. _____ Him.

Psalm 2:11 "Serve the Lord with reverential awe and rejoice with trembling."

Psalm 30:4 "Sing to the Lord, you his faithful ones, and praise his holy name."

Psalm 40:16 "Let all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you; let those who love your salvation continually say, "The Lord is great!"

4. Put Him _____.

Luke 14:26 "If anyone comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters—yes, and even his own life—he cannot be my disciple."

What does it mean that He will give you your heart's desires?

1. God will shape your _____ so that you want what He wants for you.
2. God will _____ you what you want. (Pr 16:3; Ps 37:5; Ps 145:19; Pr 10:24; Jn 15:7)

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As my next step today I want to:

(Life is a series of next steps. What's yours?)

- Return next week to Church Acadiana and learn more.
- Invite a friend to come with me next week.
- Trust in Christ as my Savior and King for the first time.
- Sign up for the next Baptism Party.
- Attend the next Newcomer's Lunch.

I'd like more info about:

- I would like a personal call from the pastor.
- I would like a personal visit from the pastor.
- Home Groups.
- Church Acadiana's weekly Email Newsletter.
- Baptism.

How can we pray for you?

Welcome to Church Acadiana!

We're excited that you are here today. The worship experience will begin with music because we love Jesus and like to sing songs of praise to Him. We hope you enjoy it -- you're welcome to sing along or just listen. Then Pastor Andy Manning will lead us in Bible study. Please take a few moments to fill out the **Connection Card**, introducing yourself to us and informing us of how we can better serve you. Sit back, relax, and enjoy the worship experience.

New Here?

Church Acadiana is probably different from the churches you've visited in the past. **Our mission** is to help people far from God become fully devoted followers of Jesus Christ. But it is **our vision** that sets us apart. Our focus is on reaching the next generation by equipping parents to disciple their kids. **We are family-integrated** — that means we keep families together and teach parents how to disciple their kids at home. **We keep it simple** — we just do three things — Sunday worship, Home Group, and volunteer. On **Sundays** you'll experience verse-by-verse Bible teaching and passionate praise music. And our **Home Groups** are small groups of people who meet weekly for prayer, fellowship, and deeper study of Sunday's sermon. If you're looking for a loving church family that will help you and your family grow to maturity in Christ, then look no further.

Upcoming Events

Baptism Sunday, September 24. Have you been baptized? It's the first step of Christian obedience. Sign up today on your Connection Card for more info!

NO Sunday Evening Worship Sunday evening worship is canceled this evening as Pastor Andy and his family will be away on vacation. We will come together again on Sunday, September 17.

Connect With Home Group The fall Home Group quarter begins the week of October 8. Don't miss this opportunity to take your walk with God to the next level. Pray about connecting with one of our three groups this fall.

Meet & Greet Come early every Sunday at 9:30 am for meet & greet. Enjoy coffee and refreshments and fellowship with others in the church.

You can find out more about Church Acadiana by visiting our website at www.ChurchAcadiana.com.

Want to take notes?

Psalm 37:4
Stand-Alone Sermon

Psalm 37:4 (CSB) Take delight in the Lord, and he will give you your heart's desires.

Mark 12:30 (CSB) "Love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength."

How to Love the Lord

1. Pursue a deep and intimate _____ with Him.

Jeremiah 9:23-24 "But the one who boasts should boast in this: that he understands and knows me—that I am the Lord, showing faithful love, justice, and righteousness on the earth, for I delight in these things. This is the Lord's declaration."

Philippians 3:8 "More than that, I also consider everything to be a loss in view of the surpassing value of knowing Christ Jesus my Lord...."

Philippians 3:10 "My goal is to know him and the power of his resurrection and the fellowship of his sufferings, being conformed to his death."

John 17:3 "This is eternal life: that they may know you, the only true God, and the one you have sent—Jesus Christ."

Micah 6:8 "Mankind, he has told each of you what is good and what it is the Lord requires of you: to act justly, to love faithfulness, and to walk humbly with your God."

2. _____ Him.

John 14:15 "If you love me, you will keep my commands."

John 10:10 "I have come so that they may have life and have it in abundance."

Psalm 16:11 "You reveal the path of life to me; in your presence is abundant joy; at your right hand are eternal pleasures."



My Key Takeaway

Connection Card

September 3, 2017

Name _____ Change in contact info

Email (please print) _____

Address _____ Apt _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Best Contact Phone (_____) _____

Place this card in the offering basket as you leave.

1st -time guest

2nd -time guest

Regular Attendee

Member

