

Pastor Riggs' Sermon

REVIEW and PURSUE

Review Last Week's Sermon

19 July 2026

Seeking God Through Prayer and Fasting, Part 1

"And without faith it is impossible to please him, for whoever would draw near to God must believe that he exists and that he rewards those who seek him." (Hebrews 11:6)

Key Points:

- Biblical fasting is refraining from food (and water in some cases) for a set period of time.
- Biblical fasting is not about strongarming God or manipulating Him to act through our physical deprivation from physical food.
- Biblical fasting is God centric, an expression of humility, dependence and desire for God.

Cross-references

Matthew 6:16-18; Galatians 5:16-17; Romans 13:14; Matthew 26:41; Matthew 4:1-4; Hebrews 11:6; Acts 9:1-19; 13:2-3; 14:19-23

For Prayer and Application

When our flesh, which desires to dominate, is fully satisfied, content, and comfortable, our desire for spiritual things is diminished.

Pursue Next Week's Sermon

26 July 2026

Main Theme

Seeking God Through Prayer and Fasting, Part 2

Main Passages for Study

Galatians 5:16-17; Romans 8:5-11; Isaiah 58

Cross-References

2 Corinthians 5:17-20; Joel 2:12; Ezra 8:21-23

Click link below to watch last weeks sermon (07/19/26):

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