

Matthew 5:17-20 Tom Beasley 11/01/2026

Raising the Bar

Context: A call to impact the world (Matthew 5:13-16)

Premise: God's word sets the bar for our lives (Matthew 5:17-20)

Key Concept: <u>The Law and the Prophets (AKA the Scriptures)</u>

Principles:

The <u>function</u> of the Law <u>continues</u>

The <u>standard</u> of the Law is <u>perfection</u>

The <u>purpose</u> of the Law is <u>fulfilled in Jesus</u>

Takeaway: <u>Jesus enables us to clear the bar</u>

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Hesperia **Community** Church

DISCOVER HCC Membership Class: **Sun. Nov. 15, 4:00pm**. Learn about HCC, our doctrine, & membership. Food provided. Sign up in the lobby.
OPERATION CHRISTMAS CHILD: OCC boxes & information available in the lobby. Full boxes must be **returned by Sun. Nov. 15**.
***BAPTISM*:** Sun. Dec. 20. Sign up on the HCC website. Click "Baptism" in the upper right of the webpage. Sign ups also available in the lobby.
ADULT EDUCATION: **Sunday mornings, 8:30am, rm 82**. Join us for a look at the Foundations of the Faith lead by Pastor Alex Vander Weide & Jacob Speer.
YOUNG ADULTS: Are you a high school senior or young adult up to age 25? Join us for our next Small Group gathering. It's a great space to connect, build community, and grow together. Meeting **this month** on **Nov. 1st** and **Nov. 15th**. See Pastor Alex for details and location.
MIDWEEK: **The Gospel Way Catechism** - **Wednesday, Nov. 4, 6:30pm**. A 10-month study. Nursery, Children's Awana, & High School Ministries will be meeting.

Question 16: What Has Gone Wrong? 66

***CAREGIVERS SUPPORT GROUP*:** Lead by Pam Montenegro, meeting **every other Thursday** from **2-4pm** in the **SW Conf Room**. The last two meeting dates this year are **Nov. 12th** and **Dec. 10th**.
CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Practice begins at **11:30am** every **Sunday,** through **Dec. 13**, in the Worship Center. Performance will be **Dec. 20**. Sign up in the Children's Chapel.
2026 WOMEN'S RETREAT: - humility - Isaiah 66:1-2. **Nov. 6-8th** at **Ironwood Christian Camp**. Cost is $250 and includes five meals.
***JOY Club*:** HCC's 55+ lunch group will meet Thurs, **Nov. 12, 11:30am** in the Childrens Chapel.Sign up today.$5 pp. Enjoy the blessings & invite a friend.
RIGHTNOW MEDIA: FREE library with something for everyone.
www.rightnowmedia.org/account/invite/hesperiacommunitychurch

Office Hours are 11:00am-200pm Mon-Fri. Additional hours by appointment.

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Revenue	
YTD Budget	$ 216,667
Oct Ytd	$ 226,047
Expenses	
YTD Budget:	$ 210,336
Oct Ytd	$ 205,310

"Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver." (2 Corinthians 9:7 ESV)

Offering box is in the lobby