

Parkman Congregational Church

April 23, 2023

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**'Pastor Will's Cell Phone is turned off after 9:00 pm'
If there is an emergency, please call one of the Elders'
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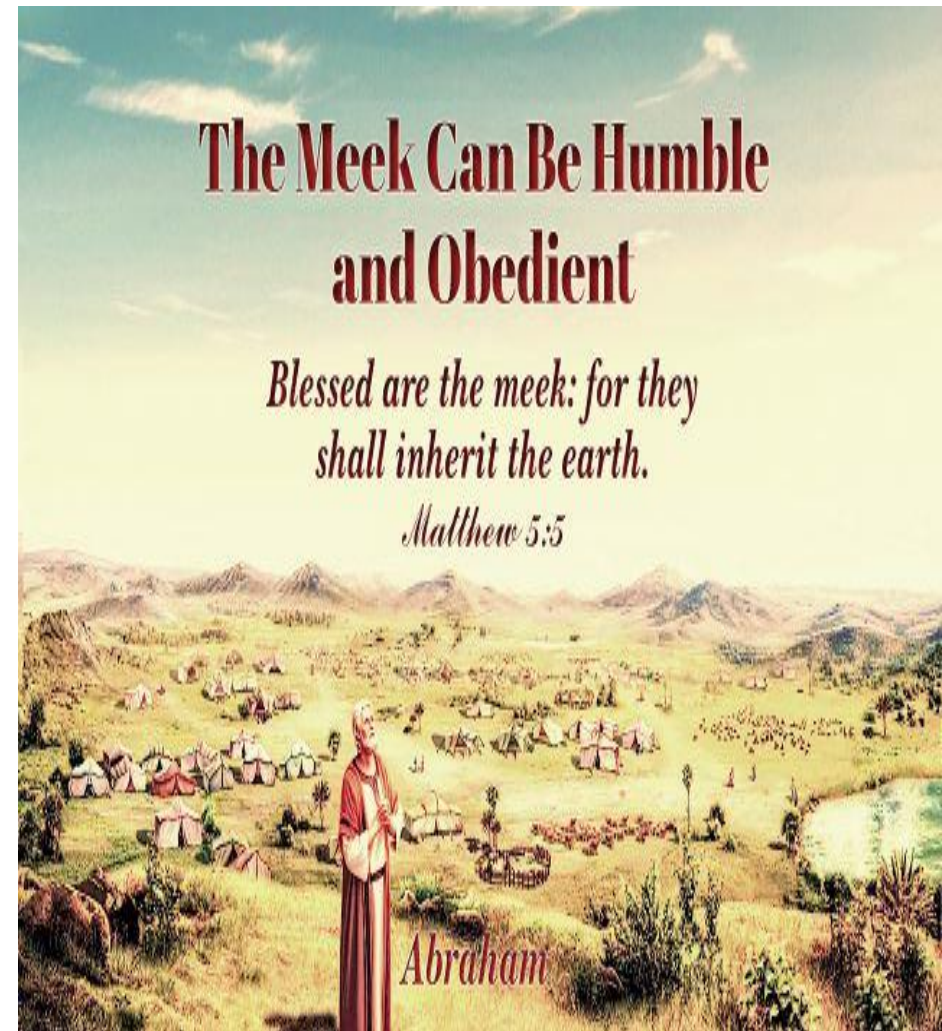
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1823 - 2023 Bicentennial



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Ministers: Members of this Congregation

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THIS WEEK'S CHURCH CALENDAR

Sunday, April 23

Sunday school, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:00 am
Worship Service, 10:30 am
Observance of the Lord's Supper
Evening Prayer Service 6-7:00 pm

Monday, April 24

Elders – 7:00 pm

Saturday, April 29

AA, 8:30 pm

Sunday, April 30

Family Sunday

Sunday school, 9:00 am
Fellowship Time, 10:00 am
Worship Service, 10:30 am
Observance of the Lord's Supper
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NOT God's plan for my life
BUT my life for God's plan
NOT God's vision for our church
BUT our church for God's Vision

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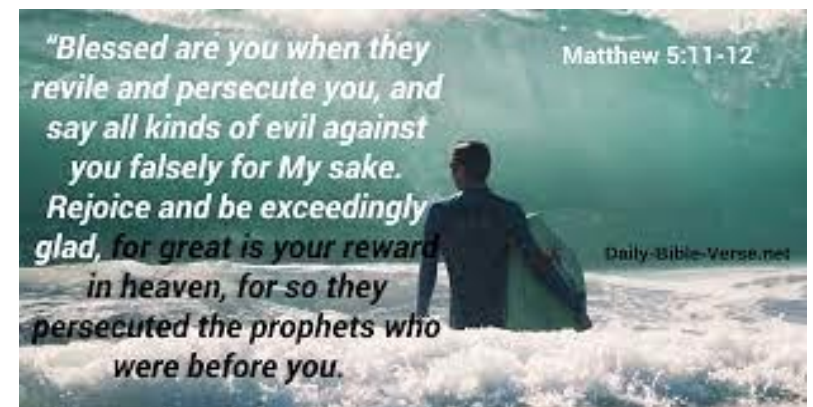
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MATTHEW	
4/23 –Matthew 5:5-6	Blessed - Part 2
4/30 – Matthew 5:7-8	Blessed - Part 3
5/7 –Matthew 5:10-12	Blessed - Part 4

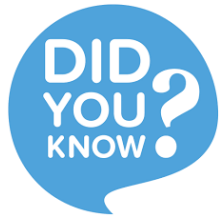
Scripture of the Month

Matthew 5:11, 12



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This is not their first time:

The theme of the Sermon on the Mount is the nature of the kingdom of heaven and the kind of life required of those who desire to become a part of it. This is clear from the repetition of the words “kingdom of heaven” and from the way they are used. Reference to the kingdom is found in the first of the beatitudes (“***Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven,***” Matt. 5:3); it closes the beatitudes (“***Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven***” Matt. 5:10); it is given as a reason for the place of the Old Testament law in the kingdom (“***Unless your righteousness surpasses that of the Pharisees and the teachers of the law, you will certainly not enter the kingdom of heaven.***” Matt. 5:20); it appears at the start of the Lord’s Prayer (“***Your kingdom come,***” Matt. 6:10); and it is the sermons climax (“***Not everyone who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ will enter the kingdom of heaven,***” Matt. 7:21). The Sermon on the Mount also follows Matthew’s statement about Jesus preaching the “good news of the kingdom of heaven,” throughout Galilee (Matt. 4:23-25), which clearly means He was teaching about the nature of the kingdom.

- James Montgomery Boice

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Parkman Congregational Church Bicentennial 1823 – 2023

Our celebration will start off with a Celebration Carnival on Saturday June 17th that is free for all. Then on Sunday June 18th we will join together to worship at 10:30 am. After the worship service we will join together in fellowship, part of which will include opening a time capsule that was put in the ground back in 1998.

