

# SERMON & PRAYER NOTES

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We don't care where you've been...  
We only care about where you're going...

*Holy Spirit Community Church*  
'Seeking God's will, Sharing God's love'

*Sunday April 7<sup>th</sup> 2024*



**What really matters?**

*Pastor Charlie Hansen*

ORDER OF SERVICE  
HOLY SPIRIT COMMUNITY CHURCH

*Welcome*  
*Opening prayer*

*WORSHIPPING*  
*Through music.*

*This gives us a time to just be in His glory as  
we praise through our songs.*

**KOINONIA**

**A time to share our praises and prayer  
requests**

*Offering as a form of worship*

Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not  
reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

*Today's message:*

***What really matters?***

*We will stay in Matthew*

***Communion Sunday***

*Greet someone that you haven't got to know yet  
and make a new friend. We are community and as  
such need to know one another.*

We have been given permission to park in the west lot,  
they keep the snow off and salt when necessary. But. We  
park there at our own risk, so please BE CAREFUL when  
you walk.

•*Investing is often a scary venture. We are told to invest in  
our future. So do we invest in superannuation, property,  
shares, or stuff our money in a mattress? Some  
investments will make us rich – others will take the shirt from  
our back.*

*The truth is even if we are extremely successful investors,  
we can't take it with us. Furthermore, our children and  
grandchildren can't take it with them either.*

•*We all want to be wise investors. As Christians, we believe  
life continues after death. Furthermore, we read in the Bible  
that God has given us an incredible opportunity to invest in  
our eternal future.*

Let's be clear, we are not doing God a favour each time we  
give sacrificially or serve in a spiritual capacity. God does  
not need our money; He has the riches of the universe at His  
disposal. God does not need our service; He is omnipotent,  
plus has a host of angels eager to do His bidding. So why  
would God use us – we make such bad servants? Answer:

God is giving us a golden opportunity to invest into our  
eternal future – spiritual service is how we capitalize.

What an unprecedented investment opportunity for us! God  
is allowing us to be joint partners in His glorious  
plan. Whatever we contribute will be multiplied and bring us  
dividends forever (Mark 10: 29,30). When we truly consider  
this amazing offer, we will immediately stop wasting time  
investing in earthly things that will be eventually taken  
away. Instead, we will start investing our energy and  
resources in the Bank of God which promises to pay  
dividends that will continue throughout eternity.

Let us hope we are not kicking ourselves forever because  
we let the greatest of all investment opportunities pass us  
by.

**Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a  
man sows, that he will also reap. Galatians 6:7.**