



For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. Hebrews 4:12 ESV

June 29, 2025 25 Tishrei 5785 "Truly, truly I tell you, the one who believes in me has eternal life." - Jesus (Yeshua)

Thanks for coming. God proved *His love for us* by coming to this world to visit. God sent His Only begotten Son Jesus who gave up His life to purchase our salvation. That is a gracious gift! When we depend on His perfect work on the cross, not our pitiful attempts at goodness, we are "born again" (John 3:3&16).

When we are forgiven for all we have done wrong, we can know we are going to Heaven with absolute certainty because we now have the Son and therefore we have life! (1 John 5:12-13)

That is why this message is called "Good News."

The Approachableness of Jesus Luke 15:1-2

Women's Luncheon

2nd Sunday of each month. The next one is July 13



Nursery and Kids Church is available babies to 10 years old. Kids are dismissed after the fourth song. ♥

Our church will be allowing Glory Ministries to use our fellowship hall on Friday evenings starting July 11. This ministry will have a time of worship, prayer and sermon.



Beit Chessed is a Messianic Congregation that meets here for Shabbat services **EVERY Saturday** of the month at 10:30 am.



Clayton Community Church is on ZOOM! To join the worship service visit our website: claytoncommunitychurch.com Click the top banner. Start early to avoid technical issues.

"The LORD loves a cheerful giver" (2 Cor 9:7). To make an offering to CCC, please place cash or check in the offering box and make any checks payable to: **Clayton Community Church**. To give **ONLINE**, visit our **website at** claytoncommunitychurch.com or mail check to 2501 Rockford Ave., Saint Louis, MO 63144.

Pray for the troops: USA: Danny Burge, Vanessa Acosta.

Israel: Hallel, a combat engineer & medic. Hodaya, surveillance.

Police: Andrew Travalante. **Fire:** Sean Monroe



Tuesday Prayer 6pm & Tuesday Bible Study 7pm [Linktr.ee/matthewatccc](https://linktr.ee/matthewatccc)



The Approachableness of Jesus

Luke 15:1–2 (ESV)¹Now the tax collectors and sinners were all drawing near to hear him.
²And the Pharisees and the scribes grumbled, saying, “This man receives sinners and eats with them.”

1. Let us prove the **approachableness** of Christ.

- a. In his offices: mediator, priest, savior
- b. His name and titles: lamb, shepherd, brother, friend.
- c. Recollect his person, he is a man born of a woman
- d. The language of Christ
- e. From the actions of his life
- f. The crowning argument

2. Let us **illustrate** this truth

- a. By the way which Christ opens up for sinners to himself
- b. The help he gives to coming sinners in order to bring them near himself
- c. By reminding you of the way in which we now commune with our Lord
- d. His receiving the poor offerings of his people
- e. The ordinances
- f. The heaven of heavens
- g. Jesus has never rejected a seeking sinner

3. **Enforce** the truth

- a. Try to be like Christ in this manner
- b. My hearts desire is that you would approach him
- c. Let sinners and saints give him praise