



There is no easy button for life...but there is a way.

*Don't look for shortcuts to God. The market is flooded with surefire, easygoing formulas for successful life that can be practiced in your spare time. Don't fall for that stuff, even though crowds of people do. The way to life, to God, is vigorous and requires total attention. - Matthew 7:13-14 (The Message)*

SUNDAY, JANUARY 29 - Matthew 5:1-12

Sermon: The Scenic Route

What makes you happy?

MIND, BODY, and SOUL:

Dear Lord, Help me to see your presence in everyday life. Allow me to see You in the eyes of my family, neighbors, coworkers, other students, or the person at the store. Open my eyes to see Your presence in the breaking of a new day or in the shining of the moon and stars of the night. Amen!

Take Action:

- Write down three blessings in your life.
- Remember a time when you were poor in spirit, a time of mourning, or meek. Rest on the promise that God blessed you through those times.
- Remember: "When we forget about people, we lose our souls." Dr. Clayton Oliphint
- Remember: "Be relational. Value every soul." – Rick Bezet

Slow down and look into the eyes of your family, friends, neighbors, and co-workers. Be the word of hope and encouragement today.

Share with us your insights (anonymously): [www.cypressunited.org/pages/events/the-easy-way](http://www.cypressunited.org/pages/events/the-easy-way)



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