

Matthew
Sermon on the Mount
The Gospel Overcoming Anxiety
Matthew 6:25-34

Pastor's Prayer

Lord, we confess that we forget, we forget that there is more to this world than what is happening right in front of us. We forget that you are working in and around us, and that the circumstances of our lives are being revealed to us according to your purpose and your plan. Lord, we forget how you have been faithful to care for us and keep us. Lord, when we forget these things, we begin to worry and become anxious. Lord, help us to remember. Give us hearts that long for your word, hearts that remember how you have cared for your people throughout the ages, in miraculous ways, not for their glory but for your glory, to make your name great. Grant us your grace to know and remember how you have cared for us and been faithful to us. In all this we ask that we might be faithful as you have been faithful, and in so doing, to be a part of how you are working to make your name great among the nations. Amen.

OUTLINE

1. Christ's exhortation Against Anxiety (v. 25)
2. Christ's Encouragement Against Anxiety (vv. 26-30)
3. Christ's Charge Against Anxiety (vv. 31-34)