

Summer School
with
Jesus

Matthew

Mark



Luke

John

MESSAGE NOTES | Lessons About Eternal Living | July 20, 2025 | Pastor Stan Pegram

WHAT IS A PARABLE? An _____ Story with a _____ Meaning.

MATTHEW 25:1-13

The ACTORS:

The ACTION: _____ for ETERNITY vs. _____ for ETERNITY

FOUR (4) TRUTHS ABOUT MY ETERNITY:

#1 = One Day _____ **on Earth Will** _____.

MATTHEW 25:13 = "So you, too, must keep watch! For you do not know the day or hour of my return.

#2 = What I Do in _____ **Determines Where I Will** _____.

LUKE 16:22-26 = "Finally, the poor man died and was carried by the angels to sit beside Abraham at the heavenly banquet. The rich man also died and was buried,²³ and he went to the place of the dead. There, in torment, he saw Abraham in the far distance with Lazarus at his side.²⁴ "The rich man shouted, 'Father Abraham, have some pity! Send Lazarus over here to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue. I am in anguish in these flames.'²⁵ "But Abraham said to him, 'Son, remember that during your lifetime you had everything you wanted, and Lazarus had nothing. So now he is here being comforted, and you are in anguish.²⁶ And besides, there is a great chasm separating us. No one can cross over to you from here, and no one can cross over to us from there.'

#3 = Time is _____ **to** _____ **About** _____.

LUKE 16:27-29 = "Then the rich man said, 'Please, Father Abraham, at least send him to my father's home.'²⁸ For I have five brothers, and I want him to warn them so they don't end up in this place of torment.'²⁹ "But Abraham said, 'Moses and the prophets have warned them. Your brothers can read what they wrote.'

ACTS 20:24 = But my life is worth nothing to me unless I use it for finishing the work assigned me by the Lord Jesus—the work of telling others the Good News about the wonderful grace of God.

#4 = _____ **is the Day to** _____ **for** _____.

2 CORINTHIANS 6:2 = For God says, "At just the right time, I heard you. On the day of salvation, I helped you." Indeed, the "right time" is now. Today is the day of salvation.

MATTHEW 13:45-46 = "Again, the Kingdom of Heaven is like a merchant on the lookout for choice pearls.⁴⁶ When he discovered a pearl of great value, he sold everything he owned and bought it!

ACTS 16:31a = They replied, "Believe in the Lord Jesus and you will be saved,

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CONNECTION CARD

WORSHIP TIME/LOCATION

- Bloomington 9:00am
- Boscobel 7:30am
- Boscobel 9:00am
- Gays Mills 9:15am
- Mt. Zion 11:00am
- North Clayton 10:30am
- Richland Center 9:30am
- Soldiers Grove 8:15am

AGE 17 & under 18-35 36-65 66+

I'M A 1st time guest 2nd time guest
 regular attender member

HOW I HEARD ABOUT Back Roads Church:



Change of information

Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Preferred Phone: (_____) _____ Birthday: ____/____/____

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OFFICE HOURS |

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, 9:00am - 1:30pm
OFFICE PHONE: 608-375-4565
KID'S MINISTRY: 608-375-6069 (hours vary)

Stay in the know, wherever you go!
 Text BRC to **844-247-4441**
 Scan for this week's BLTN



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 **1st TIME GUEST? WELCOME!** Remember to grab your **FREE Unshakable** book as you leave today

 **BRC KIDS/KIDS CARE** | Sundays @ 9am | BRC Boscobel
 For infants thru 4 years and kids 5 years through grade 5

 **SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM** | FREE lunch for all children 18 and under. **Serving Monday – Friday thru August 7** at these locations:

- Back Roads Boscobel **11:30am – 12:45pm**
- Cozy Acres **11:00 – 11:15am**
- Woodman Shelter **11:30 – 11:45am**
- Bloomington Village Park **12:00 – 12:30pm**

No income requirements. No forms to fill out. Just come and eat lunch with us! Watch for weekly menus at [FB.com/BackRoadsChurchWI](https://www.facebook.com/BackRoadsChurchWI). **Volunteers are needed** to help serve at the Boscobel site. *Sign up on the calendar in the kitchen*



Bringing the gospel to college students in the La Crosse Area



Learn more about partnering with me

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 **TRUE NORTH VBS | July 27 – 31 | BRC Boscobel**

We can BEARLY wait!

- FREE Supper at the Basecamp Eatery from 4:30pm - 5pm
- Trek to Vacation Bible School from 5:15pm – 8:15pm
- ALL KIDS ages 4 years through those who have completed Grade 6 (Spring 2025) are invited to *Trust Jesus in a Wild World*

You OTTER get registered soon!

- QR code →
- [BackRoadsChurch.org/VBS](https://www.BackRoadsChurch.org/VBS)



We're not MOOSING around...TRUE NORTH VBS WILL BE ROCKIN' WITH YOUR HELP! Here's how:

- **Donate**— We'll be trekking for treasures such as snack and supper items, etc. See more at the display in the BRC lobby
- Questions? Contact Ms. Nikki at 608-375-6069

 **MEDIA SHOUT TECHNICIAN** | BRC Boscobel

We are looking for teens or adults interested operating the media screens on Sunday morning. Training is provided. Interested? Make a note on your Connection Card

 **SCHOOL SUPPLY GIVEAWAY** | Aug 18 | 3 - 6pm | BRC Boscobel
 Stop by for free school supplies for students 4K to Grade 5

 **SAVE THESE DATES** | *More details on the way...*

- **Worship Night** on September 6 from 7 - 9pm at BRC Boscobel
- **Wednesday Night Sunday School** resumes on September 10 with a Block Party at BRC Boscobel
- **Dad's Belgian Waffle Supper** returns to BRC Mt. Zion on September 23



FOOD STAND | Aug 21 – 24 | Crawford Co. Fair

The Back Roads Church Food Stand will again be open during the fair. If you would like to help with food donations or by serving at the stand during the fair, sign up on the whiteboard at BRC Mt. Zion or call Lois at 920-284-8978 or Joyce at 608-485-3429



CONNECTION CARDS | We appreciate your giving and filling out a Connection Card each week! However, it helps the office workflow when Connection Cards are not put in your offering envelope. Thank you!

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I'D LIKE TO KNOW MORE ABOUT (*Include your contact info on the front of card*)

- Becoming a Follower
- Automated Giving
- Serving
- Other:

PRAYER REQUESTS AND COMMENTS:

Include my prayer request on the prayer list: YES NO