

*It must be obvious to anyone
that the doctrine of the Fall is the
only cheerful view of human life.*

G. K. Chesterton



Q. 103 What does God require in the fourth commandment?

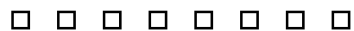
A. First, that the ministry of the gospel and the schools be maintained^[1] and that, especially on the day of rest, I diligently attend the church of God^[2] to hear God's Word,^[3] to use the sacraments,^[4] to call publicly upon the LORD,^[5] and to give Christian offerings for the poor.^[6] Second, that all the days of my life I rest from my evil works, let the LORD work in me through His Holy Spirit, and so begin in this life the eternal Sabbath.^[7]

[1] Deu_6:4-9; Deu_6:20-25; 1Co_9:13-14; 2Ti_2:2; 2Ti_3:13-17; Tit_1:5. [2] Deu_12:5-12; Psa_40:9-10; Psa_68:26; Act_2:42-47; Heb_10:23-25. [3] Rom_10:14-17; 1Co_14:26-33; 1Ti_4:13. [4] 1Co_11:23-24. [5] Col_3:16; 1Ti_2:1. [6] Psa_50:14; 1Co_16:2; 2Co_8:1-24; 2Co_9:1-15. [7] Isa_66:23; Heb_4:9-11.

Q. 104 What does God require in the fifth commandment?

A. That I show all honor, love, and faithfulness to my father and mother and to all those in authority over me, submit myself with due obedience to their good instruction and discipline,^[1] and also have patience with their weaknesses and shortcomings,^[2] since it is God's will to govern us by their hand.^[3]

[1] Exo_21:17; Pro_1:8; Pro_4:1; Rom_13:1-2; Eph_5:21-22; Eph_6:1-9; Col_3:18-25 & Col_4:1. [2] Pro_20:20; Pro_23:22; 1Pe_1:1. [3] Mat_22:21; Rom_13:1-8; Eph_6:1-9; Col_3:18-21.



If you have a prayer request please let me know before the service or place a note in the offering plate. Thank you.

Cottonwood Community Church

November 25, 2007

Sunday Devotion: 9:30 am
Worship: 10:00 am

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Welcome

Opening Prayer

Old Testament Reading: Isaiah 58:6-11

Hymn 378, Am I A Soldier Of The Cross?

[Psalms 39:1-3](#)

(1) To the choirmaster: to Jeduthun. A Psalm of David. I said, "I will guard my ways, that I may not sin with my tongue; I will guard my mouth with a muzzle, so long as the wicked are in my presence."

(2) I was mute and silent; I held my peace even from good, and my distress grew worse.

(3) My heart became hot within me. As I mused, the fire burned.

Hymn 228, It Is well With My Soul

Mystery Box Message

Presentation of Tithes and Offerings

New Testament Reading: Ephesians 4:31-5:1

Worship In Song

Congregational Prayer / Lord's Prayer

Our Father Who art in heaven,
hallowed be Thy name.

Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done
on earth as it is in heaven.

Give us this day our daily bread and forgive us our
sins as we forgive those who have sinned against us.

And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.

For Thine is the kingdom and the power
and the glory forever.

Amen.

**Inward, Godward, Outward, Forward: 3
Matthew 5:1-12**

Closing Prayer

Closing Hymn # 42 God Be with You

Benediction: [Romans 16:25-27](#)

(25) Now to Him who is able to establish you according to my gospel, and the preaching of Jesus Christ according to the revelation of *the* mystery, having been unvoiced during eternal times; **(26)** but now has been made plain, and by the prophetic Scriptures, according to the commandment of the everlasting God, made known to all nations for the obedience of faith; **(27)** to God only wise *be* glory through Jesus Christ forever. Amen.