

Scripture reading: James 2:13

Message: Matthew 5:7

I. Review

- A. Hunger and thirsting has to be taken care of daily
- B. We have to fill our spiritual hunger daily
- C. Those who hunger and thirst
 - 1. Are fruitful *Psalm 119: 33-40*
 - 2. Are obedient *1 Peter 1:13-16*
 - 3. Walk by the Spirit, not by the flesh *Romans 8:4*

II. Mercy

- A. Compassionate or kindly forbearance shown toward an offender
- B. God desires mercy not sacrifice *Matthew 9:13*
- C. Compassion: pity or concern for others, with a desire to do something about it

III. Don't give it, don't get it

- A. Jesus had compassion *Matthew 9:36*
- B. Those who do not show mercy will be judged without it *James 2:13*
- C. Mercy is triumphant over judgment

IV. People who show mercy

- A. Have responded to the mercy of God
- B. Are ready for the day of judgment
- C. Will escape all judgment

V. In Your daily life

- A. Accept God's mercy
- B. Show mercy - do not be judgmental
- C. Have and show compassion

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