

SERMON NOTES

November 28, 2010

Scripture: Matt 6:5-8,7:7-11

Topic: "Redirected Desperation" Rev. Jared Huffman

Matthew 6:5-8

- "When you pray, you are not to be like the hypocrites; for they love to stand and pray in the synagogues and on the street corners so that they may be seen by men. Truly I say to you, they have their reward in full.
- "But you, when you pray, go into your inner room, close your door and pray to your Father who is in secret, and your Father who sees what is done in secret will reward you.
- 7 "And when you are praying, do not use meaningless repetition as the Gentiles do, for they suppose that they will be heard for their many words.
- 8 "So do not be like them; for your Father knows what you need before you ask Him.

Matthew 7:7-11

- 7 "Ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you.
- 8 "For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened.
- 9 "Or what man is there among you who, when his son asks for a loaf, will give him a stone?
- 10 "Or if he asks for a fish, he will not give him a snake, will he?
- 11 "If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father who is in heaven give what is good to those who ask Him!