

Helping people find purpose in Jesus through genuine relationships.

### EXILES: FOLLOWING THE SUFFERING KING

In an age that celebrates power, personal freedom, and getting our own way, what does it look like to give our ultimate allegiance to Jesus? How should Christians respond to authority, live within institutions, or deal with the world's powers, especially when it feels unfair or costly? This Sunday, in **1 Peter 2:13-25**, Peter challenges us to live lives that run counter to the world's value systems. Join us as we explore what it means to be shaped by our living Cornerstone, a King who defeats evil not by grasping for power, but through self-giving love, suffering faithfulness, and triumphal resurrection.

We'll learn together that the way of Jesus means meeting our opponents with radical, freely offered love and honor as we bear witness to Christ in the world. Connect with us **in person at 9:00AM or 10:45 AM** in our Sanctuary, or **online at [wpcmedford.com](http://wpcmedford.com) or on our Facebook page.**



### SHARE THE TABLE - PATRIOTIC STYLE

The United States is celebrating the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence. Let's join the celebration by bringing a favorite patriotic treat that is red, white, or blue to this month's **SHARE THE TABLE, July 5, 2026**. Examples of red treats include strawberries, raspberries, and watermelon. White treat ideas might be cheese sticks, popcorn, or mini powdered donuts. Finally, blue foods could be blueberries, blue chips, or blue cheese. These are only suggestions! Can't wait to see your creativity. Please contact Rosa at [serve@wpcmedford.com](mailto:serve@wpcmedford.com) with questions.

### ARE YOU MISSING SOMETHING?

We have water bottles, coats, jewelry and miscellaneous items that have been turned into the office since our last Sports Camp. We have accumulated many treasures! This is the last Sunday to stop by the Gathering Place and see if you recognize anything that might be yours. **Any items that aren't picked up by Sunday, July 5 will be donated to our annual clothing sale.**





### YOUTH: SIGN-UP FOR SUMMER CAMP TODAY!

The school year can be quite busy...even hectic. It is a healthy rhythm to pause and set time to be with God and be with friends in a separate space. Here, you can re-charge with friends, and re-center on Jesus. **Retreats and camps are often significant stepping stones in our spiritual formation, and are incredibly valuable moments and memories.** You and a friend are invited to time in the great outdoors of Oregon, water games, hanging out, food, lessons, camp games and more.

**High School Summer Camp** is Thurs. Aug. 6th - Sun. Aug. 9th.

**[Check out the details and RSVP by 7/7 here.](#)**

**Middle School Summer Camp** is Sat. Aug. 15th - Wed. Aug. 19th.

**[Check out the details and RSVP by 8/8 here.](#)**

Space is limited, and all are welcome. Invite a friend!



### SERVICE OF COMMITTAL

A Service of Committal will be held for **Don Vermeer** at our Memorial Garden on **Sunday, July 12**, at **2:00pm**. Those who knew Don are warmly invited to attend.

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