Northwest Bible Church – Oct. 12, 2025 – Matthew – Alan Conner

**Matthew 5:5**

Blessed are the Meek

Intro

**A. MEANING OF MEEKNESS.**

 1. World’s false impression.

 2. Grk. Lexicon – “not being overly impressed by a sense of one’s self-importance; gentle, humble, considerate.”

 3. Submission to God.

 4. Humility toward others.

 a. Humble, non-aggression, gentleness. Mt. 5:39, 41

 b. Opposite of violence and retaliation. Heb. 10:34; Jam. 5:6

**B. EXAMPLES OF MEEKNESS.**

 1. Abraham with Lot. Gen. 13:8-9.

 2. Moses. Num. 12:3; Ex. 4:10; Num. 11:29

 3. David. 2 Sam. 16:11-12

 4. Christ the greatest example. Mt. 11:29; 12:20; 21:5.

 5. Paul. 2 Cor. 10:1

**C. EXHORTATIONS TO MEEKNESS.**

 1. From Paul. Tit. 3:2; Gal. 5:23; Col. 3:12; Eph. 4:2; 2 Tim. 2:25; Gal. 6:1

 2. From Peter. 1 Pet. 3:15

 3. From James. Jam. 3:13

**D. REWARD OF MEEKNESS: INHERIT THE EARTH.**

Conclusion