SERMON ON THE MOUNT



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Key Verse

Matt 6:19 - 21

Jesus said "Don't store up treasures on earth! Moths and rust can destroy them, and thieves can break in and steal them. Instead, store up your treasures in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy them, and thieves cannot break in and steal them. Your heart will always be where your treasure is"

1. "Cash dash" Relay

You will need:

• Monopoly money/coins/"money" made of paper or balls of foil

Fill a bucket with whatever "money" you have and place down one end of your backyard (if outside), or corridor (if inside).

Split the household into 2 teams. Play 2 rounds.

Round 1: Each team races, relay style, to the bucket to grab a piece of money and bring back to the start. When all the money's gone, each team adds up their stash. The team with the most money wins.

At the end of Round 1, read out the key verse (above)

Round 2: This time play in reverse! Share out the money again. The aim in this round is to give away all the money, and the team to do this first, wins.

At the end, talk about what it means to have treasure in Heaven.

NOTE: This could be played with friends over zoom- it just becomes a timed relay i.e. when one person has collected all their money, Round 1 stops, money is added up and the person with the most money wins. Repeat in reverse for Round 2.





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1. Build a Treasure Chest (design on next page)

- Cut around the design.
- Fold on the black lines. Fold in the tabs.
- Use glue or sticky tape to Secure the tabs to the chest.
- Print or write on a seperate bit of paper the following words:
 - "Don't store up treasures on earth! Moths and rust can destroy them, and thieves can break in and steal them. Instead, store up your treasures in heaven, where moths and rust cannot destroy them, and thieves cannot break in and steal them. Your heart will always be where your treasure is." Matt 6:19 21
- Put the verse in the chest.

2. Treasure Map craft & Game

You will need:

Paper/textas/pencils

Instructions:

- Create a treasure map that leads someone from your family around your house finding the things you love e.g. your favourite toy, favourite food, mum/dad/sibling, your bed etc (You could have some extra fun by staining the map with tea and burning the edges - with your parents help - to make it look old)
- Have the final treasure be a Bible open at Matthew chapter 6. Together read verses 19-21.
- You could then pray, thanking God for all the good things he has given you especially for making you and enabling you to be in his family.





