

GO AND LEARN THE MEANING OF THE WORD "MERCY"!

Matthew 9:13

**St. John of God
Collins Hall
San Francisco, CA**

**Two Thursday Evenings
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm**

Our two-part series on the Year of Mercy explores the core Biblical Narrative of God's Mercy revealed in the Exodus experience. Mercy as the core "definition" of God is something more than forgiveness and compassion. Mercy points to the identity of God as the God who everyday shows us a mother's love and a father's care. We will ponder and explore Luke 15 as the signature Gospel of Luke 15 for the Year of Mercy.

February 11, 2016

**The God of the Hebrew Scripture is motivated by the oppression of the slaves
to show forth and reveal mercy and compassion
(Moses and Jesus demand the defense of the stranger and alien)**

February 25, 2016

The Year of Mercy

**You Shall Be Compassionate as your God is Compassionate
Luke 6: 36**

**A Survey of the Scriptures of the New Testament concerning Mercy:
Luke 19: 1-10, Matthew 9: 9-13, Luke 15: 1-32**

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