

2015—Develop Others in Christ-like Living
 “The Walkie-Talkie for Your Tour of Duty”

Colossians 4:2-6
 August 30, 2015

Training for Trainers (T4T)

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2. Babies learn to breathe. Disciples learn to pray.
3. Babies learn to eat. Disciples learn to read and obey the Word.
4. Babies need a family. Disciples become serving church members.
5. **Babies have a father. Disciples live by Christ’s authority.**
6. Babies grow up and reproduce. Disciples multiply themselves.

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 Puritan writer Thomas Chalmers

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When Jesus is first place, we evaluate our relationships and roles in light of His presence, promises, and power.

God deserves our prayers. (vv2-4)

This is how we treat Him as God.

God describes our walk. (v5)

His rule and wisdom make us authentic and expectant.

God expects our speaking to others. (v4, 6)

This may be intentional or responsive.

God changes our culture with the gospel. (v6)

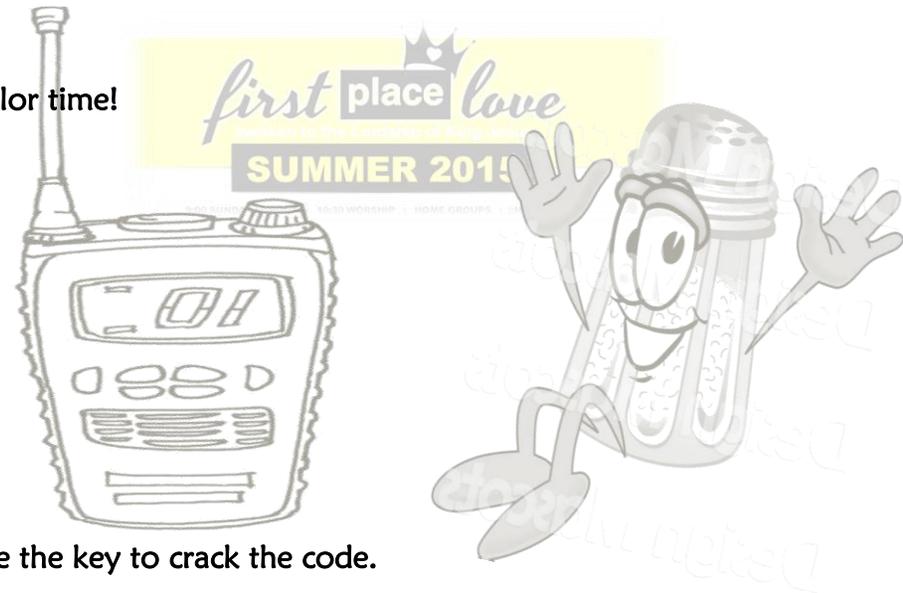
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Right thinking leads to right living.

Verse of the Month:

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 Colossians 3:14 (HCSB)

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